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MEMORIAL DAY 1917

ORATION BY DR. LYMAN WHITNEY ALLEN.

He Recalls the Past to Point the Message of Democracy in the Present Crisis.

The war records of the seven veterans dying during the past year were read at the special memorial services held at the Post Room of Corporal Skelly Post No. 9, Grand Army of the Republic on last Sunday afternoon. They were the following.

Craig B. Shields, a member of Company C, First Battalion, Maryland Cavalry. Died May 31, 1916.

John T. Weikert, Company B. 138th Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry. Died July 29, 1916.

John E. Pitzer, Company C, 165th Regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry. Died July 31, 1916.

Joseph Kelly, Company I, 205th Regiment, Pennsylvania Infantry. Died November 6. 1916.

Levi Mumper, Company I, 127th Pennsylvania Infantry. Died November 28, 1916.

Silas McAllister Horner, Company I, 98th Regiment Pennsylvania Infantry. Died September 29. 1916.

Daniel P. Reigle, Company F, 87th Regiment Pennsylvania Infantry. Died March 19, 1917.

Rev. Paul R. Pontius preached the sermon on the occasion taking his text from Ecclesiastes 3:8: "A time for peace and a time for war." Peter S. Isenberg sang a solo and Battle Hymn and America were sung.

After the services members of the Post marched to St. Francis Xavier Church where they were joined by clergy and acolytes in cassock and surplice, the school children and members of the Sodality, Catholic Beneficial Society and Father Corby Council, and proceeded to the Catholic Cemetery, decorating the veterans' graves there. Rev. Fr. Hines of Paradise made the address.

The Memorial Day program was much like other memorial days in many ways yet it differed from others. There was a stress or emphasis in all demonstrations and expressions due to the national crisis. This was added to by the battalion of three companies of Gettysburg College boys with their new Krag rifles. It gave a touch of preparedness. The parade formed at 1.30 led by ex-Prothonotary Charles Deatrick of Biglerville, with John S. Hartman and Hugh McIlhenny as aids. C. C. Bream and Howard Schwartz acted as division marshals. The Citizens' Band headed the procession followed by Sons of Veterans, the battalion of College students, patriotic and civic organizations. The two divisions became somewhat separated. The second division was headed by the Hanover Band, orator and guests in carriages and the veterans in automobiles. The school children joined the procession at High street and lined the cemetery avenues as the procession passed through their ranks. After the strewing of the flowers the exercises began at the rostrum with Dr. T. C. Billheimer acting as master of ceremonies. Rev. Paul R. Pontius offered prayer, and Major F. L. Graham, U. S. A., read Lincoln's Gettysburg Address.

Dr. Lyman Whitney Allen of Newark, delivered the oration, a strong patriotic address, and Dr. Billheimer closed with the benediction.

Dr. Allen's Oration.

We are on the heights of Gettysburg. We face embattled fields and graves of heroes. We confront exalted memories. We behold again our flag and country saved by blood. From each beholden soul there leaps to-day the historic cry "I thank God that I am an American."

Gettysburg is immortal. Here was fought America's greatest battle. Here was spoken the age's noblest word. Here was struck the keynote of the world's emancipation. This is Memorial Day at Gettysburg. We gather beside martyr graves. We honor the men who died for men.

An old soldier showed me a postal card. It represented an old veteran with a little girl in his arms and a flag about them both. On the other side of the postal was written, "In memory of the devoted and honored comrades who saved the nation from peril and have now crossed the mystic river to answer the roll call before the Great Commander-in-Chief of us all." It was signed "Comrade." Here was the expression of the meaning and spirit of Memorial Day.

There never has been a Memorial Day like this since November 19, 1863, when this hallowed spot was formally set apart to be the resting place of our soldier dead. To-day the eyes of all Americans turn here. To-day the nations of the entire world look toward Gettysburg for it is from the silent graves of heroes buried here, and from the deathless words of Lincoln spoken here, that the struggling millions of the world, battling for liberty and democracy, are drawing inspiration and guidance.

We are in the Soldiers' National Cemetery. I entered this sacred enclosure through these iron gates. As I was about to enter I paused. I turned. Over there across the way upon the hill close to Rickett's "Battery Hell" was General Hancock, the superb, lifted high upon his noble steeed, as when all athrill he poured his furious faith and passion into this waverin Union host at the close of that first awful day. As I entered these gates of iron, I read upon those iron blocks beneath the wide-winged eagles the names of the 18 States that gave their patriot sons to this great fight. As I entered there on the left was Old Glory, the flag of Gettysburg, its silent waves of the color spread as God's answer to man's cry. Those who surged through blood set it there. With every star and stripe the desperate prayers of a nation were woven. There it waves at this moment, the representative and composite of all those smoke-hued, shot-scarred banners that went through the battle flame. There it waves above Cemetery Heights, the symbol of redemption.

Yonder above it is the Angel of Peace and near her, high in air is the Angel of Liberty. Who put the Angel of Liberty there high in that luminous air?

"They put her there who died for her sake;
They put her there who lie at her feet;
They held the night till the morning should break,
They value death for her sweet. sweet.
Who keep her there in that luminous air?
"They keep her there who live for her sake;
They keep her there who toil at her feet;
They hold the morning till the noontide break,
They value life for her sweet."

There were two angels guarding an ancient sepulchre of a great captain, and when the visitors approached those angels said in immortal and gloried accents, "He is not here, he is risen." These two angels of Liberty and Peace overshadowing these honored dead are chanting to us to-day the words celestial. "They are not here, they are risen." They are risen, they are leading the hosts of Democracy forward through the struggle into the great peace of coming generations where the world shall be safe for Democracy, and the nations shall learn war no more.

Behold those graves before us under the overshadowing of angels. To those heroes buried here there is but one phase to apply. It was Lincoln who, standing here spoke of those who lie here as "These honored dead, who gave their lives that this nation might live" who for the cause of liberty and union gave the last full measure of devotion. After the great Lincoln called them, "these honored dead." no other phrase seems adequate. They will always be "These honored dead."

There they lie in semi-circles under the angel shadows and beside the gloried monuments. We know some names, others we do not know. They were fighting under the Stars and Stripes, they were battling for their country's salvation, they were wounded, mangled, they fell dead, they were lifted up off the crimsoned field, they were laid here to rest. Over them swept the sweet south winds, over them the birds carroled, over them the great Lincoln uttered his words of dedication, over them the multitudes tenderly cast their bowers and drop their tears, over them the shining angels who had led and followed them through the fight trailed their white robes and pinions, and sang their celestial music.

There is a stanza of a poem which sets forth this word "honored" into peculiar, varied and gloried phrase. It has been graven in bronze and placed along the highway that passes by these graves so that all may read. It is the chant of the nation.

"The muffled drum's sad roll has beat
the soldier's last tattoo.
No more on life's parade shall meet
the brave and fallen few.
On Fame's eternal camping grounds
Their silent tents are spread
And glory guards with solemn round
The bivouac of the dead."

Behold, O Americans, the camping ground of Fame. Behold, O patriots, the silent tent of the Immortals! Stand aside while the guard passes on his solemn round, the great eternal sentry—glory.

What they did here. From this spot turn your eyes to the great battlefield and view the vast acreage of the historic fight, from Oak Ridge to the Round Tops, from Seminary Ridge to Cemetery Ridge and on to the great Cavalry Field three miles away to the east. Revolve over in your minds as you gaze upon the field the three days' struggle. I feel absolutely unfitted for such a task. Your own townswoman, Elsie Singmaster Lewars, now one of the Immortals in her book "Gettysburg," says, "When you get people to talk about a battle it's better to have some one who saw the battle and not some one who was in long clothes."

Our nation's honored dead fought and died that this nation might live. They fought and died for the great unknown. The unknown multitudes and millions of future generations, the great unknown whom they should never see nor meet. Is there anywhere outside of Calvary any fact more sacred, more ideal, more to be cherished. No wonder men and women come here and linger beside these honored dead. Here is the Pierian Spring of American history. Here is the Bethesda Pool of our national life. Here is inspiration. Here is the source of courage. Here is the unveiling of man's better self, of man's real nature, of man's divine heredity. Here life becomes dignified, magnificial. Here one beholds a great and glorious perspective, and all the monument they have is a little granite marker and all the epitaph many of them have is the one word, "unknown." Unknown heroes we love you, we cherish your spirits and your deeds.

We keep in memory not only what they did here but what he (Lincoln) said here. What was the struggle here at Gettysburg? It was the struggle of two great antagonistic principles, of autocracy against democracy, of despotism against freedom.

Those men lying there before us, fought and died for justice, freedom, human rights, democracy. Lincoln, standing over yonder and delivering his immortal Gettysburg Address, was their spokesman, the voice of these dead. He declared that from these dead, from their patriotism and sacrifice the people of this great country should take new courage and devotion, and representing these heroic dead and the people of this Democracy he registered a solemn vow that the fortunate freemen of this great Republic should see to it that "government of the people, and by the people and for the people should not perish from the earth."

Lincoln saw with prophet eyes. What they did here was for the world and belonged, as did he, to the ages. Gettysburg was the pivot upon which destiny turned.

Lincoln foresaw the doom of national individualism. He recognized the fact that, as no man can live unto himself, so no nation can live unto itself. He felt and saw the problem of the world. He beheld the individual nation related to all other nations material fog itself, yet ever true and just to all nations. He beheld a world community with these two antagonistic principles of autocracy and democracy in terrific struggle: and this individual nation a great democracy with a duty and sacred obligation resting upon it to see that, throughout that vast world community, which comprises the entire earth, democracy should not perish.

It has come to this that throughout our country when the minds of Americans are turned toward Memorial Day one great speech is thought of, one great memorial tribute, which has crystallized for all time the feelings of the American people. Only one Gettysburg address has ever been delivered on this spot and there will never be another. All speeches made here can at the best only point back to his, to him and to them of whom he spoke. I rejoice that in the center of the Public Square, or Diamond, of Gettysburg, there is to be a statue of Abraham Lincoln erected by the old soldiers.

Lincoln foresaw the doom of national mongrelism. He saw that this nation could not exist permanently half-slave and half-free, half-barbaric and half civilized. He knew that a house divided against itself could not stand. He saw of the world what was true of this nation. He recognized that a great world community cannot exist permanently half-slave and half-free, half-barbaric and half-civilized: and, as he knew that a house divided against itself cannot stand, so he realized that a world community thus divided cannot stand. Lincoln not only spoke for the men who fought this Gettysburg battle, but for the men who are to-day fighting the great world battle on the fields of Europe and on the great seas for democracy and human rights and freedom.

Without a vision the people perish. Alice Brown in "The Vision," puts it:

"Mother I have come home to you
Out of my sore distress,
Mother, how beautiful you are.
In your dull working dress."

Then if you see so, dear child,
I heard my mother say,
See too the beauty of the soul
In her worn dress of clay."

Half a million people visit Gettysburg every year to get a vision of our nation's soul. And when the people come here on Memorial Day, and view the procession of soldiers, and see the flags and flowers, and hear the martial music, and listen to the story of the past, they get a vision through the "worn dress of clay" of the soul of America, their mother.

However true it may be that just now America has found her soul, in her great uprising for the world's redemption it is true, and has been for a long time, that here on the battlefield of Gettysburg America is reminded of her soul.

The spiritual message of these honored dead form a great page in our nation's holy writ. They tell us that there is something more than a commercial, materialistic spirit among our people, that there have been bold men who loved righteousness more than money, spiritual attainment more than material gain, human freedom more than life.

It was the 20th of April, 1917—America Day in England. The door of St. Paul's Cathedral were opened, 4000 people filled the vast temple, consecrated by so many historic memories and towering over the remains of Lord Nelson and the Duke of Wellington, the heroes respectively of Trafalgar and Waterloo. In the great procession to the cathedral was a group of 22 veterans of our American Civil War, who marched down the aisle carrying Old Glory and a banner inscribed "American Civil War Veterans, Not for Ourselves but for Our Country." And when the King and Queen of England and the high magistrates of Britain and the great multitude beheld the little company from the battlefields of our country they stood upon their feet and sang as it were a great song of triumph:

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LITTLESTOWN EDITOR DIES

D. B. ALLEMAN OF ADAMS CO. INDEPENDENT PASSES AWAY.

Gave Twenty-nine Years of His Life to His Newspaper Business.

David Brainerd Alleman, for the past twenty-nine years editor and publisher of the "Littlestown Independent," later called the "Adams County Independent," died at his home in Littlestown on Monday evening after a lingering illness of several years. He would be overcome at times when his life would be despaired of, to recover and go at his work again. In January he had an attack of uraemic convulsions but regained sufficient vitality to be at his desk, and in April was again taken sick, since which time he was unable to leave his house and for the past three weeks had been confined to his bed. His age was 59 years, 2 months and 7 days.

David Brainerd Alleman was born in Hanover, a son of the late Rev. M. J. and Elizabeth Alleman. He spent his early life in Hanover, receiving his early education there, and completing his studies at the York Collegiate Institute. Upon his graduation from that institution he was engaged in business in Maryland, returning to this county in January, 1881.

He established a printing business at Littlestown and in April, 1882, published the first issue of the "Littlestown Era," a weekly newspaper. The plant was sold in January, 1885, to A. F. Goubler, and in August of same year was destroyed by fire.

Mr. Alleman was a traveling salesman until 1888 when he returned to Littlestown and started the publication of the "Littlestown Independent," afterwards the "Adams County Independent."

From the time of establishing the "Independent" to his final illness he directed its management and policy, and even when failing health the last year or two made it impossible to work with the vigor of his earlier life, he never lost interest in his plant and paper, which have for some time been under the able direction of his son, Burton M. Alleman. Mr. Alleman was a clever and forceful writer giving his paper a characteristic distinctiveness.

Mr. Alleman took an active interest in politics. In 1882 he was delegate to the Independent Republican convention which met in Philadelphia. In 1892 and in 1893 Mr. Alleman was engaged in census taking in the States of Arkansas and Kentucky.

In April, 1881, Mr. Alleman was married to Miss Lizzie Ferg, daughter of the late Adam Ferg, an iron manufacturer, of Tremont. She died in December, 1914. To this union the following children survive: Burton Alleman, who now has active charge of the "Independent," H. Ward Alleman, of Harrisburg; Irvin Alleman, who is engaged in newspaper work at Charlottsville, Va., and Miss Margaret Alleman, at home. One sister, Miss Kate E. Alleman, of York; and two brothers, John Alleman of Frederick, and Dr. Gellert Alleman of Swarthmore, survive. A half-sister, Miss Sue Alleman, of York, and two half-brothers, L. M. Alleman of Littlestown, and W. S. Alleman of Hanover, are also living. Mr. Alleman was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Littlestown.

The funeral was held on Thursday morning, Rev. W. K. Fleck conducting the services. Among the bearers were W. E. Kapp of Biglerville, C. W. Gardner, J. D. Keith, Esq., and Hon. C. Wm. Beales, of Gettysburg.

Abraham Hershey of York street, this place, died last Saturday afternoon at the home of his brother-in-law, W. A. Diehl, New Oxford, where he and his wife had been spending several days. Death was due to acute indigestion. He was aged 75 years, 2 months and 14 days. He was born in Cumberland township, this county, a son of the late John and Eliza Mumma Hershey. He spent the greater part of his life farming, retiring three years ago when he moved to Gettysburg. Mr. Hershey's life was filled with the homely old fashioned virtues, industrious, honest, straightforward, doing unto others as he would have them do unto him. His life was a refreshing blessing to his family and children. He was a member of the Church of the River Brethren. He leaves his wife and these children: Chas. A. Hershey of McKnightstown, J. Willard Hershey, of Defiance, Ohio, Samuel E. Hershey of Greensburg, Harry A. Hershey of Woodland, Cal., Laban E. Hershey of Seven Stars, Raymond E. Hershey of Covina, California, Mrs. S. M. Wisler of Gettysburg, Mrs. David Brown of Franklin township, Mrs. Herma Warren of Gettysburg, Miss Ella Hershey at home. Funeral from his home on Tuesday conducted by Rev. Jerome Funk and Rev. Harry Shank, of Waynesboro, with interment at Mummasburg.

Mrs. Margaret Rowe, widow of the late Daniel Rowe, of Gettysburg, died last Friday morning at the home of her sister, Mrs. Hanson Stallsmith, of near New Oxford, aged 79 years. She is survived by one son, Robert Rowe, of New York City, one daughter-in-law, Mrs. Willis Rowe, of Gettysburg, and by two sisters, Mrs. Stallsmith with whom she made her home for the past year, and Mrs. David Daugherty of Gettysburg. The funeral was held Monday by Rev. C. W. Baker, of the Lutheran Church, and interment was made in the Evergreen Cemetery.

Mrs. Emma E. Jacobs, wife of J. E. Jacobs, died suddenly at her home in Cumberland township, south of Round Top, Monday evening. Mrs. Jacobs was taken sick with acute indigestion and died before a physician reached the home. Her age was 44 years, 5 months and 9 days. She was a daughter of Jonas Gallaher of Washington, D. C. She leaves her husband and the following children: Mrs. Raymond Crushong, Marguerite, Raymond, Norris, Donald and Rhoda Jacobs, all at home. She is also survived by her father and stepmother and the following brother and sister: Mrs. Allen Barnes, of Virginia Mills, Mrs. George R. Morrison of Washington, D. C., John Gallaher of Baltimore, and two stepsisters, Mrs. Leonard Ransom of Ohio, and Mrs. Stanley Wolf of Washington, and a step-brother of Norris Gallaher, Washington. The funeral was held Thursday, interment in Evergreen Cemetery.

James Biesecker was stricken while spending last Thursday along the creek in the vicinity of Myers' Mill, between Biglerville and Arendtsville, and died the same afternoon at his home in Menallen township where he was taken by friends. Mr. Biesecker had arisen Thursday morning, apparently in perfect health. He drove to Arendtsville and transacted business there and then went on to the mill where he had a successful morning fishing. About noon, it is supposed, he ate his luncheon and after he finished it, attended to feeding his horse. From the position in which he was found it was evident that he was stricken while doing this. Lawrence Myers discovered the unconscious man about half past one o'clock and it is believed he had been lying there for an hour or more. A physician was summoned and upon examination saw that Mr. Biesecker's condition was very critical. He ordered his immediate removal to the home of his son, Jere Biesecker, with whom he lived. About a half hour after he reached the house death occurred, without his having regained consciousness. Mr. Biesecker was formerly a resident of Franklin township, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Biesecker. He was aged 66 years, 3 months and 6 days. He leaves two sons, John Biesecker and Jere Biesecker, both of Menallen township, and one sister, Mrs. Simon P. Stover of McKnightstown. The funeral services were held at Flohr's Church by Rev. D. T. Koser, interment in Flohr's Cemetery.

Mrs. Anna Mary Deardorff, wife of Jacob Deardorff, died at her home in Cashtown Sunday morning from heart trouble, following an illness of a week. Mrs. Deardorff fell some time ago and dislocated her ankle. Pleurisy developed, but she was apparently recovering from this disease when the heart attack occurred. She was aged about 70 years. She was a daughter of the late Peter Comfort, and spent her entire life in Franklin township. She leaves her husband and the following children: Charles Deardorff of New York State, Mrs. William Jones of Harrisburg, Miss Marry Deardorff of Philadelphia, and Misses Ada and Estelle Deardorff at home. One brother, Max Comfort, of Baltimore, and three sisters, Mrs. Georgianna Stover of Harrisburg, and Mrs. Sarah Heintzelman and Mrs. A. S. Pfeffer of Gettysburg, also survive. Funeral was on Thursday by Rev. D. T. Koser with interment at Flohr's Church.

Mrs. Carrie Eiker, wife of Jacob P. Eiker, died at her home near Fairfield, Tuesday afternoon from a stroke of apoplexy aged 37 years. She was taken ill on Monday and did not regain consciousness. She leaves her husband and the following children, all at home: George, Elizabeth, Samuel, Gilbert, Raymond, Hazel; also her father, Abraham Herring of Freedom township, and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Edward Hoffman of Hanover, Henry Herring of Iowa, Mrs. Ella Sites of Oklahoma, Washington, Grant and Joseph Herring of Freedom township, Mrs. John Houck of Emmitsburg, Mrs. Samuel Keckler of Gettysburg. Funeral on Friday by Rev. V. G. Hartman, interment in Fairfield Cemetery.

Harold Edward Strausbaugh died at the home of his father, James P. Strausbaugh, McSherrystown, last Thursday after a week's illness from Bright's disease aged 27 years, 4 months and 18 days. He was a member of St. Mary's Sodality, of McSherrystown, Aerie of Eagles and Home Association and Cigar Makers' Union No. 316. He is survived by his father, four sisters and three brothers, Clarence, Lloyd, Robert, Marguerite, Florence, Hazel and Geraldine, all at home. Funeral was on Saturday, May 26, high mass of requiem in St. Mary's Church by Rev. L. Aug. Reudter, interment on the family lot in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Mrs. Rebecca Fair, wife of William Fair of Taneytown, died last Sunday night at midnight at the Frederick hospital after an operation which she recently underwent, aged about 50 years. She was born near Littlestown, and was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lansinger. She leaves her husband and one daugh-

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PERSONAL POINTS OF VIEW

COMINGS AND GOINGS INTO AND OUT OF THE TOWN.

Social and Other Individual Happenings and Other Local Items of Interest.

—Mrs. M. S. Yohe and Miss Grace Smiley of Mt. Wolf, spent Memorial Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Smiley, East Middle street.

—Mr. Eckenrode of Unionbrodge, Md., was a Gettysburg visitor on Tuesday.

—Rev. and Mrs. Charles Reinewald of Emmitsburg, were the guests of Miss Annie Danner, Center Square, over Memorial Day.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Grecht have returned to their home in Baltimore after spending several days at the home of Herman Mertz, Chambersburg street.

—Miss Jennie Trostle and Miss Vera Buehler of Ventour, N. J., formerly of Gettysburg, are spending some time with friends in and near town.

—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Polley and children of Fairfield were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Lightner, Baltimore street, on Memorial Day.

—Miss Helen Young and Miss Anna Young of Norfolk, Va., are visiting their aunt, Mrs. H. B. Nixon, at her home on Carlisle street.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kendlehart of Harrisburg, and W. P. McCartney of Rochester, N. Y., were the guests of the Misses Kendlehart at their home on West Middle street, this week.

—Harry Wentz, who is employed at Eddystone, spent several days at his home on York street this week.

—Miss Ivy Tawney has returned to her home on West Middle street after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Geo. R. Prehr, in Lebanon.

—Miss Helen Green of Huntingdon, Pa., is spending several weeks at the home of Hon. Wm. A. Martin, Lincoln avenue.

—J. Luther Wisler of Dickinson Seminary, Williamsport, spent this week at the home of his parents on North Stratton street.

—Miss Helen Dunlap of Irving College, Mechanicsburg, spent Sunday as the guest of Miss Ethel Culp at her home on York street.

—Mrs. J. B. Baker and daughter Dorothea have returned to their home on York street after spending several weeks at Amsterdam, N. Y. They were accompanied home by Mrs. John Schwenker and Miss Doris Tripp who will make their future home here.

—Howard Shriver and family of Two Taverns, Edgar Shriver and family of Biglerville, Harry E. Weikert and family, Mrs. Frank Kane and children, and Miss Edna Keitel, all of Hanover, spent Wednesday at the home of Jacob C. Shriver on East Middle street.

—Miss Eunice Rudisill, Baltimore street, spent the week end at Chambersburg where she attended the graduating exercises of the nurses school of the Chambersburg Hospital.

—Monsignor Bradley, President of Mt. St. Mary's College, Emmitsburg, and Rev. Fr. Coad of that institution were visitors in town on Sunday.

—Mrs. Clara Deatrick has returned to her home on Chambersburg street after a visit with Rev. and Mrs. Hetrick in Westminster. She was accompanied home by her grandson, David Hetrick, who will spend some time here.

—Walter Weaver of Norwich, N. Y., and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fields of Philadelphia are spending several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Weaver, West Middle street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert McNair of Emmitsburg spent Wednesday with friends in town.

—Miss Annie Utz, of Philadelphia, formerly of Gettysburg, is spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Utz, Mummasburg street.

—Miss Elizabeth Gintling has returned to her home in York after spending several days with relatives and friends in town.

—Leo F. Stock and son John Henry Stock, have returned to their home in Brookland, D. C., after spending a week with Mrs. Sara Stock, Baltimore street.

—Mrs. Laura B. Eicholtz of Philadelphia, is spending a week with relatives in town.

—Howard and Roland Gerber of York, have returned to their home after a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Rowan, Buford avenue.

—Mrs. H. B. Bender, Baltimore street, spent this week with her daughter, Miss Ruth Bender, who is a student at Beechwood Seminary, Jenkintown, Pa. Miss Bender accompanied her mother home.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. McElhott, grandsons, Gates and Clement, and Mrs. Annie Hollinger, of Lancaster, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Utz, on Carlisle street.

—H. Edward Berbehenn, North Stratton street, has gone to Philadelphia where he will be employed in the Schuylkill Arsenal.

—Dr. E. A. Miller of East Berlin, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Miley Miller of Baltimore street, has enlisted in the Medical Reserve Corps of the army. He is one of the first of the Adams county doctors to do this.

—C. Guyon Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Miller, Water street, who has been in the employ of the

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ARE YOU ELIGIBLE FOR ARMY?

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your intention to become a citizen of the United States. Receipt from the clerk of the court of the certified copy of such declaration is often called 'taking out first papers.' You are not a declarant if your first paper was taken out after September 26, 1906, and is more than seven years old.

"(4). You are an alien if you do not fall withone of the three classes above mentioned."

Enemies Must Register.

Alien enemies will be required to register, but will not be drafted.

A companion question is No. 6 "If not a citizen, of what country are you a citizen or subject?" The guide points out that "this need be answered only by aliens and declarants. Remember that a "declarant" is not yet a citizen of the United States. If an alien or a declarant, state the name of your country, as "France," "Japan," "China," etc.

Another question in which possible confusion is cleared up in the guide is No. 10, which is made up of the following questions:

Married or single (which?) and race (specify which)"

This does not ask whether you were once married, but whether you are married now, explains the guide. "In answer to the question as to your race state briefly whether "Caucasian," "Mongolian," "Negro," "Malay" or "Indian."

Citizens living in foreign countries may register through the nearest consular office. Citizens who are absent from home on registration day must register by mail on blanks procured from the county clerk or in a city above 30,000 in population, from the city clerk.

U. S. Army Camp.

The United States Army Camp at Gettysburg has not been pitched and occupied to date.

Major Stanton arrived the early part of the week, coming to act as quartermaster. The camp site has not been selected. It is said the Fourth and Seventh Regiments to go into camp here will not leave the border until May 28 and would likely reach this place about June 2. It looks as though preparations for camp will begin with a rush next week.

Summer in the Real Country.

Pitch your tent or bungalow in the green wood on bank of living stream. Swimming, boating, fishing. Plant your garden near-by and raise your own vegetables.

Rent for the season for camp site, 50 x 200, and an acre garden land, $50. Location fifty miles from Baltimore; two trains daily through Hanover; 15 miles from York and 15 miles from Gettysburg.

Lafayette Park for excursions convenient to railroad and village.

JOHN R. KUHN,
East Berlin, Pa.

—Miss Ruth Miller of Water street has gone to Philadelphia where she will visit friends for several weeks.

—Howard McDonnell of Littlestown, is spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McDonnell, Stratton street.

—Col. H. C. Demming, court stenographer, has returned to Harrisburg after spending the week in town on business.

AUDITORS NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County auditor to dispose of the exceptions and to make distribution of the balance in the hands of Wm. Hersh and Chas. S. Butt, Esqs., assignees of John F. Shindledecker, an insolvent, as shown by their first and final account, and that the auditor will sit in the discharge of his duties at his office in the First National Bank Building, Gettysburg, Pa., on Wednesday the 20th day of June, 1917, at 10.30 A. M., when and where all parties in interest may attend.

J. L. WILLIAMS,
Auditor.

NOTICE

The annual election for a President and seven managers for the Evergreen Cemetery Aassociation will be held on Monday evening, June 4th, in the Arbitration Room at the Court House at 7.30 o'clock. The lot holders are requested to attend.

J. W. KENDLEHART,
Sec. and Treas.

75 Cents

ROUND TRIP

Decoration Day Excursion

—TO—

Pen-Mar Park

Blue Ridge Pleasure Resort

Wed., May 30.

Special Train leaves
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RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		995,295.78
Overdrafts secured		492.53
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation (par value)		100,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc., on hand (other than stocks) owned unpledged		161,654.49
Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve bank	17,400.00	
Less amount unpaid	8,700.00	8,700.00
Banking house	73,175.00	
Furniture and fixtures	7,825.00	81,000.00
Other real estate owned		16,619.10
Due from approved Reserve agents in New York, Chicago and St. Louis		4,731.68
Due from approved Reserve agents in other cities		17,339.72
Due from banks and bankers (other than above)		8,394.43
Outside checks & other cash items	$1,021.11	
Fractional currency nickels an dcents	$ 820.14	1.841.25
Checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		2,291.16
Notes of other national banks		4,815.00
Lawful money reserve in bank, and with Federal Reserve Bank		74,182.90
Federal Reserve Notes		145.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		5,000.00
Total		$1,482,503.04

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$150,000.00
Surplus fund		140,000.00
Undivided profits	$57,024.01	
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	$19,787.68	37,236.33
Circulating notes		99,720.00
Due to banks and bankers		1,444.94
Individual deposits subject to check		225,283.75
Cashier's checks outstanding		4.111.57
Bills payable other than with Federal Reserve Bank		10,000.00
Deposits subject to 30 or more days' notice		814,706.45
Total		$1,482,503.04

State of Pennsylvania, County of Adams, SS.

I, J. Elmer Musselman, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. ELMER MUSSELMAN,
Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 8th day of May, 1917.

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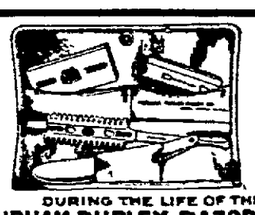
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Spoiling Old Friendships.

So far as men are concerned, the warmest friendship is that which exists between two fellows whose wives have never met. A friend that we have known and liked for years has drifted away from us, and we suppose he feels that we have drifted away from him. We liked each other so well that we wanted our wives to meet and be good friends. Finally they met, and, as might have been expected, they cared nothing in the world for each other. In fact, one of them said she couldn't see what on earth anybody could find in her to admire, and we suppose the other said about the same thing. We felt that our friend knew what our wife thought of his wife, and we were a little ashamed to be in his company. Probably he felt the same. At any rate, we haven't had much of anything to do with each other since. We speak, but no one would ever guess that we once were bosom friends.—Claude Callan in Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

Spanish Irishmen.

A recent writer draws attention to the connection which has long existed between Ireland and Spain. In the days of the "Wild Geese," when Irishmen were carving out futures for themselves as soldiers of fortune in many lands, they went in large numbers to Spain. Then again large numbers of Irish men and women, many of them belonging to well known families, emigrated to Spain in the early days of the nineteenth century. All these immigrants were adopted by the country, and they adopted it, whole heartedly—so whole heartedly, indeed, that, as the writer already referred to pointed out, hardly any of their present representatives speak English, at any rate as "a native tongue," and they have lost all touch with Irish life. They have retained their names, however, unaltered, and in the Spanish army list are to be found many such names as O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Donnell, Shaw, and so on.—Christian Science Monitor.

Motorcar Suggestions.

Examine your battery every other week; fill it with water if necessary.

Examine the oil level in your crank case before each trip.

Keep out of the car tracks and ruts.

Do not tinker with parts you know nothing about.

Turn up the grease cups and fill the oil holes without waiting for squeaks.

Test the inflation of your tires twice a week and keep them pumped up.

Read the instruction book you received with your car.

Wash your car immediately after every trip.

Denied the Statement.

"Sister is a very good child when she is asleep," said Tom facetiously, having heard some one else say the same thing.

"I ain't dood when I's asleep," declared sister. "I has bad dreams and wake mamma up." — Philadelphia Ledger.

A Lot of Nothing.

An Englishman, leaving a fortune of over $200,000, provided for his wife in the following terms: "I bequeath to my once dear wife nothing. She left me for nothing and wants for nothing, and I have nothing more to say respecting her."—Argonaut.

Do It Skillfully.

"You are lying so clumsily," said the observant judge to a litigant who was making a dubious statement of his case, "that I would advise you to get a lawyer."—San Francisco Star.

Fine Comparison.

"Remember," said Mowls, "that riches have wings."

"Well," replied Glimson, "the fact that a boiled chicken has wings doesn't prevent me from enjoying it!"

Real Hunger.

A baby shouting for his morning meal makes as good an example of what a food riot really is as anything we know of.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

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A Girl's Error

She Mistook a Rogue For an Honest Man.

By EDWARD T. STEWART

I am in a quandary. I had supposed I would marry Donald Chase, and now comes Oscar Richmond to mix me all up. Donald is steady, honorable, has excellent judgment; Oscar is handsome, full of sentiment, fascinating. I know I should remain true to Donald, but Oscar carries me right off my feet.

The question of money does not enter into the matter. Donald is doing very well, earning a fair salary and with a prospect of being a partner. Oscar is out of business just now. I don't exactly understand why. He is very reticent. I like reticence in a man; it bespeaks self control. Oscar can talk with me by the hour without revealing any of his affairs. Of course if he proposes to me I shall expect that he will tell me everything.

I have tried to get Donald to tell me why he distrusts Oscar. He says he doesn't himself know why. It is quite likely that his distrust is due to jealousy. Donald is so honorable that he would not like to believe himself capable of doing a rival an unjustice. He is unconscious that he is moved by jealousy.

I wonder who is this Girard Roberts he has brought to see us. He has known us but a few weeks, yet it seems that we have all been friends for years. It's strange how some people have a faculty of insinuating themselves at once into one's good graces. Already I call this man by his first name, and, though I have known Donald since I was sixteen years old, I still call him Mr. Chase.

I have sounded Girard Roberts as to what he thinks of Oscar Richmond. His reply was, "He's a bang up good fellow." That doesn't help me. But it's the most I can expect from Girard, who is all on the surface. Those people one becomes familiar with on short acquaintance seldom have any depth. I asked Girard what he thought of Donald and received the same reply, "He's a bang up good fellow too." I was served right for relying upon the opinion of such a lightweight person.

Girard Roberts seems to have plenty of money as well as a taste for jewelry. The other day Aunt Alida was showing him a diamond she wished to turn into funds. He told her to go among the jewelers, ask them to fix a price on it and he would give her $10 more than the highest bid. She did so and got a bid of $270 for the stone. Girard told her it was cheap at $300 and he would give her that for it. She accepted the offer. Oscar and I were present when the sale was made, and Girard laughingly told us that he would rely on us as witnesses in case aunty backed out. He didn't have the money with him, but said he would bring it the next afternoon at 5 o'clock.

When he called aunty was out. Oscar and I were in the library. Girard called to me to say to aunty when she came in that she would find the money for the diamond under a vase on the mantel in the parlor. I promised to do so.

Oscar asked me to go to walk with him. I consented; went upstairs to get my hat, and we walked to the park. When I returned I had forgotten all about telling aunty that the money for her diamond was on the parlor mantel. Indeed, I never thought of it till just before going to bed; then I told her. She went downstairs to get it. It was gone.

Everybody is dissatisfied with me, and I am dissatisfied with myself for being so thoughtless as to have left $300 so long in an exposed position. It has upset the whole household. The servants who consider themselves under suspicion are going about looking very glum.

Aunty is furious with me. I expected Girard would show his feelings toward me very decidedly. What a lovely fellow he is, after all! He told me not to give myself any concern about the matter; that doubtless the money would turn up, but if it did not there was no one to blame but himself since he should not have left so much money in such a place. He explained that he did not leave it with me because I was "flirting," as he called it, with Oscar and he didn't like to intrude upon us.

I asked him whom he suspected, and he said that since the front door stood unlatched and any one might have come in while we were at dinner or during the evening when we were all upstairs doubtless some person entered possibly for an ordinary purpose and, seeing the money, took it and left.

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I have had a blow—an awful visitation! Donald Chase turns out to be the thief who took the bills left on the mantel to pay for aunty's jewel. This morning when he was at business a constable called at his room with a search warrant and found the bills in his bureau drawer. To think that Donald, whom we have all known so long and considered the very soul of honor, should have done such a thing!

How could he have taken the money without our knowing it? What Girard Roberts told me is the only thing that fits the case. Doubtless Donald called, came right in, was waiting for some of us, when he noticed the bills. He must have taken them and gone out without making himself known.

I am broken hearted by this discovery that Donald Chase is a common thief. Singular, isn't it, that a girl doesn't know she loves a man till he turns out to be a thief? That's the way with us women; we are always acting by contraries.

Not long ago I was uncertain about Oscar and thought Donald a splendid man. But I was fascinated with Oscar, and Donald seemed devoid of romance. Now that Donald is in trouble, through his own fault, I am giving him my heart.

Girard Roberts has just come in. He says that Donald has given bail for his appearance when the trial comes off and is now free. Girard says that, notwithstanding appearances are against Donald, he doesn't believe him guilty. "Then," I said, "I don't believe him guilty either." But the next minute I reproved myself for being influenced by this easy going man. Did he not say when I asked him his opinion of Donald before this matter occurred, "He's a good fellow too."

What's the use of considering the views of one who talks like that? I told Girard to tell Donald to come and see me, but he said he did not think Donald would until his innocence has been proved. I really believe there has been some mistake, but it is very hard to feel sure about it. It all happened so naturally—Donald's coming in just when the money was where he would see it—at least, who else could have come in?—and the bills being found in his bureau drawer. Oh, dear! I must stop thinking of the horrid thing or I shall go crazy.

One thing more I will say: After all, there is something just too lovely for anything in Girard Roberts saying that he doesn't believe Donald guilty. If any one should take anything of mine and it were found in his bureau drawer I couldn't be so generous as to attribute the theft to an error.

Donald has been to see me. He did not act or talk like a guilty man. What's more, he didn't seem to realize his awful position. I supposed that he was more sensitive. Though charged with stealing money that was intended for aunty, with whom he has been on friendly terms for years, to say nothing of his devotion to me, he seemed very unconcerned. When I learned he was downstairs I nerved myself for a very painful interview. For fear I should say the wrong thing I thought over what I should say. When I entered the room I dreaded to look at him. Indeed, I kept my eyes on the door.

"Donald," I said, "you know how interested we all are that you should clear yourself of this horrible charge. We will all do anything in the world to help you—Aunty, I, Oscar"—

I looked up, and what was my surprise to see an amused look on Donald's face. In fact, he was smiling.

Then he advanced, took my hand and gave it a gentle pressure.

"Don't be troubled, little girl," he said. "There are always wheels within wheels. There is also such a thing as being too smart. I have something to say to you. Had I not I would not have come to see you resting under the imputation of being a thief. Listen. From the first I suspected something wrong in your friend Oscar Richmond. From what I heard I believed him to be a thief. I introduced into this household Girard Roberts, who is really a detective"—

"A detective!"

"That's what he is. He laid a trap for Richmond and caught not Richmond, but me. He bought your aunt's diamond for the purpose of laying this trap. He put the bills to pay for it on the mantel as a decoy for Richmond. They were all marked, that he might prove them his property. Richmond took them, but, being a smart rogue and suspecting that we were on his track, sent a man with them to my room. This man represented himself as an old chum of mine, and my landlady permitted him to go to the room to wait for me. Once there, he put the money in my bureau drawer and went away. The next day Richmond arranged that a constable should go to my room to search for something he claimed he had lost. You know the result."

"Then," I said, "Oscar Richmond did nothing criminal. You were trying to catch him, and he turned the tables on you."

"Wait a bit. Richmond was an accountant for a firm in San Francisco, from whom he skipped with $20,000. Roberts was employed by them to track him. My employing Roberts was a coincidence. Richmond's real name is MacEnery. He was arrested this morning and is now awaiting extradition papers to take him to San Francisco for trial."

And now I am alone in my room, trying to get settled down to the fact that I am myself. Oscar Richmond is not Oscar Richmond at all, but somebody else and a criminal. Donald Chase is not going to the penitentiary, but is to be my husband instead. Girard Roberts, who came to us with his apparently light character and trivial words—a skin deep man whom nobody either loves or dislikes—turns out to be one of those cunning detectives one reads about in stories. But now I know that he is a real detective he seems very different to me. Just as soon as it was all out, instead of calling me Alice he called me Miss Avery. I was so mad I could have choked him. Besides, I thought he was quite a gentleman. He is very plain. Indeed, Donald says he served a term as a policeman.

Well, well; I shall never again think I can tell the difference between a rogue and an honest man.

I am mightily relieved. I'm going to set the day for the wedding at an early date. I don't care to go through any more such experiences. Donald has come out all right, and that's enough of it for me.

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Great Work of Native.

Albert Cook Myers, a son of John Myers and born in York Springs, and a nephew of Jacob Myers of York Springs, has returned to this country. He was in England when the war broke out. He delivered an address before the Pennsylvania Historical Society in Philadelphia last week in which he told for the first time of some of the results of his seven years research into the life of William Penn, involving an expenditure of $50.000, travels through two continents and the preparation of 1600 pounds of manuscript and data. Mr. Myers appeared in the court costume which Penn wore when he presented King George of Great Britain.

Heaped on a table near Mr. Myers were 200 volumes of material bearing on Penn's life. A trunk of foot notes was also nearby. Although still incomplete, the biography will finally be condensed into twelve or fifteen octavo volumes, Mr. Myers said. Many interesting details of Penn's life and unpublished letters and portraits will be included, as well as information drawn largely from entirely new sources.

For many years Mr. Myers worked in England collecting facts about Penn, and many difficulties were removed by the indorsement of his efforts by the Royal Historical Society, the Friends' Historical Society and the patronage of a number of the nobility.

Among those who helped Mr. Myers to examine Penn manuscripts and leters in their possession were the Duke of Devonshire, the Duke of Portland, the Earl of Dartmouth, the Earl of Ranfurly, Colonel William Dugald Stuart, a direct descendant of Penn; Thomas Hodgkin, an author; Isaac Sharp, secretary of the English Society of Friends, and Norval Penney, librarian of the Friends' Reference Library, Devonshire House, London, where Mr. Myers made his headquarters.

Before leaving England Mr. Myers received a memento of his visit at the home of the Earl and Countess of Ranfurly in the form of a small Cupid which was painted on glass by Sophia Margaret Penn, daughter of Thomas Penn and granddaughter of William Penn.

Just when the Penn history will be handed to the printer, Mr. Myers said he did not know. If possible, he told the audience, he will make another journey to England. Among those who are aiding him in his research are Charlemagne Tower, president of the Historical Society; John Beach McMaster, the historian; Dr. Isaac Sharpless, president of Haverford; Dr. William I. Hull, professor of history at Swarthmore, and William Penn-Gaskell Hall, a direct desendant of Penn. The late Samuel W. Pennypacker and the late William B. Rawle also encouraged Mr. Myers and gave him financial help.

Lancaster Pike to be Toll Free.

The Lancaster pike is, historically, one of the oldest highways leading out from Philadelphia toward the western part of the State and was naturally chosen to be a unit of the Lincoln Highway. It was taken over in 1888 from the Philadelphia and Lancaster Turnpike Company by the Lancaster Avenue Improvement Company and has been sold to the Commonwealth and will be turned over to the State Highway Department and freed of tolls on July 1. It will be repaired immediately by the State.

The portion from which the tollgates will be removed extends from City Line avenue, Phila., to Paoli, about fifteen miles in length. It is understood the State will pay $165,000 for the road, which is $200.000 less than the turnpike company asked for it. The sale was made as the result of an agreement between the Lancaster Avenue Improvement Company, the owners of the road and the State Highway Department, whose engineers last year made a thorough survey and inspection of the highway.

The comparatively low price was finally agreed to by the turnpike company, it is said, when Samuel Rea, president of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, which was interested in the turnpike, exercised his influence to have the owners accede to what was regarded as a popular feeling that the road should be freed.

The Lancaster turnpike is the most-traveled suburban road in the section through which it runs and thousands of motorists will be pleased to learn of the announcement that the tollgates are to disappear.

The freeing of this pike is expected to hurry the freeing of other portions of the Lincoln Highway and a portion everyone but the tollgatherers would be glad to see go begins at Cross Keys, this county and runs almost without interruption to York, Wrightsville, over the river to Columbia and Lancaster.

ARENDTSVILLE.

On account of laboring hands being so scarce some of our farmers and truckers are not able to plant as large an acreage of corn, potatoes and beans as they were advised to do from the Agricultural Department at Washington, D. C.

Owing to Rev. T. C. Hesson having gone to Dayton, Ohio, to attend the General Synod of the Reformed Church, Prof. Nye of Harrisburg occupied the pulpit in the Reformed Church in this place on last Sunday.

Dr. Wm. E. Wolff, with his wife and four children, and Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Skinner with their two children, and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Warren and their son Richard, motored to Harrisburg to attend the Barnum and Bailey Show.

Mrs. Lizzie J. Raffensperger and son Charles E. Raffensperger, and Miss Annie K. Sheely spent last Sunday in Carlisle.

Mrs. J. W. Dickson of Gettysburg is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ellen Yeatts in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Mark.

The bees are swarming early. David Thomas had four swarms already.

We had an excellent rain last Tuesday night that was very beneficial to all vegetation. P.

When Lebas Dared Death.

In 1876 the granite obelisk that stood sentinel before the palace of Rameses III., at Luxor, for more than thirty centuries was taken to Paris. Its erection in the Place de la Concorde was marked by a fine example of civic courage. It had been brought from Egypt by the engineer Lebas in a river boat especially constructed at Toulon to navigate the Nile and the Seine. This boat was towed through the sea by a warship. When the cables used in raising the obelisk in its position in Paris were strained almost to breaking Lebas placed himself at once under the enormous stone as it began to move. If a single cable had broken all would have been over with the engineer. Explaining his handihood, Lebas said it was to show the crowd of onlookers that he was sure of his calculations. A single error and he would have been crushed, and he preferred a tragic end to dishonor. "This," said Le Cri de Paris, "was before our day of interviews, and Lebas occupied only a few lines in the Constitutionel, no more, no less than the periodical adventures of the sea serpent."

The Graham Bread Myth.

Most people suppose they are getting more nutrition in graham or whole wheat bread than they get in white bread. Another mistake, says the Kansas City Star. This isn't a matter of guesswork, for there are elaborate tables worked out after the most thorough experimentation in laboratories and published, for instance, in Dr. E. A. Locke's book on "Food Values."

Roughly, food is valued in accordance with its fuel contents, which is figured in calories. A pound of brown bread contains about 1.050 calories, a pound of rye bread 1.180, a pound of gluten bread 1,160, a pound of graham bread 1.210, a pound of whole wheat bread 1.140 and a pound of ordinary white bread 1,215. The white bread has more nourishment to the pound than any other kind. The notion that milling deprives it of its nutriment is fiction.

Fine Art In Candle Making.

The making of candles is not ordinarily considered a fine art, but the Italians have made it such. The distinctively Italian votive taper is made by hand. The materials are pure beeswax, which is kneaded and tempered and mixed with a secret ingredient to retard combustion and which has special Egyptian cotton for wicks. The cotton, too, is treated with chemicals to keep it from feeding too fast. Small candles are molded. Large ones are made by rolling up sheets of wax That gives the candle great strength and enables it to stand erect when a molded candle would bend under the heat. After the candle is fashioned it goes to the decorators, men who are skilled in the use of the brush, and when it leaves their hands it is a work of art.

Dishes and Divorce.

If, as one clever writer avers, most divorces start over the breakfast cups how very important is the selection of one's china. For, despite the time honored legend that would have us believe the way to a man's heart is through his stomach, it is quite certain that beauty of the eyes goes as far toward promoting happiness as does digestion. Often they are one and the same thing. So in providing pretty tableware one never knows what dire calamities may be averted.

"Living up" to a fine bit of china, a good picture or piece of rare old silver has its advantages, not the least of which is the lasting pleasure of owning something really beautiful.—Mother's Magazine.

The Chestnut Blight.

The chestnut blight has already done damage estimated as close to $50,000,000. The disease attacks both American and European species, but does little damage to those from Japan and China. Plant breeders by crossing Japanese chestnut and native chinquapin have produced resistant trees. Some of the Chinese chestnuts are said to grow 100 feet high in their home forests.—Tree Talk.

Mighty Arcturus.

Arcturus is one of the most brilliant stars that we can see in the heavens. Its diameter is 62,000,000 miles. The light that comes to us from it is over 200 years old when it enters our eyes. The sun is distant 93,000,000 miles. Just compare the eight or nine minutes it takes for the sun's light to reach us with 200 years.

His Opportunity.

"Scientists say that blonds will disappear in a few years."

This gave the golden haired girl her opportunity.

"Well, if you want one," said she sweetly, "you'd better speak up now."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Easier.

The Landlady—At our table, Mr. Bjinks, it is customary to return thanks at each meal. The New Boarder—That's fine. I like it lots better than paying cash.—New York Journal.

Looked That Way.

She—Do you really think I married you for your money? He—Well, the way my money has been going it looks suspicious.—Boston Transcript.

Misunderstood.

Marcella—Did I understand you to say Gerty Giddigad won't take you seriously? Waverly—Not exactly. I said seriously, she won't take me at all.—Youngstown Telegram.

I will listen to any one's convictions, but pray keep your doubts to yourself I have plenty of my own.—Goethe.

Cancer Not Hereditary.

That cancer is not inherited in man seems to be proved by statistics collected by Arthur Hunter and presented to the Association of Life Insurance Presidents. Mr. Hunter investigated the history of policy holders and found that when both of a man's parents had died of cancer only two grandparents out of 234 had died of this disease. Among 314 sons and daughters of parents both of whom had died of cancer he could find not one case of cancer. He considered only those above the age of forty.

He found only nine cases of cancer among 301 brothers and sisters of cancerous pairs. Of the 810 sons and daughters above forty in 488 families of which one parent had died of cancer only three were known to have had the disease.

Corn and Water.

To those engaged in the handling of grain the natural shrinkage of shelled corn while in storage and in transit is a matter of prime importance and often a source of dispute because of shortage reported at time of receipt at warehouse and a further loss at date of final sale. In order to determine the amount of shrinkage or loss of weight occurring in corn the department of agriculture conducted an experiment with 500 bushels of shelled corn. At the time of storage the moisture content was 18.8 per cent and at close of the test 14.7 per cent, or a loss of 4.1 per cent. The weight per bushel had decreased from 54.7 pounds to 50 pounds, and the total loss of weight was 1,970 pounds, or slightly more than 7 per cent.

Says the Sun Didn't Stand Still.

Joshua's command to the sun and moon to "stand still" only meant that they should be "eclipsed," according to Dr. Thomas Dick Wilson, professor of Hebrew at Princeton Theological seminary. The word usually translated "stand still" in the Bible is the Hebrew "dama," said Dr Wilson, which really means "eclipse." "When my students come to me," he said, "with doubt as to whether God actually upset the laws of gravitation at the request of Joshua I say 'Don't worry Nothing of the kind took place.'"—Philadelphia North American.

IRON SPRINGS.

Mrs. Elmer Bennett was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital at Baltimore, on last Thursday the 17th, by Dr. Porter. She returned home on Monday the 21st accompanied by her husband.

Miss Annie Bowling is undergoing an operation at the same hospital at the present time.

Harvey Strausbaugh is wearing a broad smile—the question may appear why? Because the "Stork" has left at his home a baby boy quite recently.

Wilson Hummelbaugh, in company with his brother-in-law, wife and two children, Glenn and Maybert, of Orrtanna, visited Mrs. Howard Hummelbaugh of Mercersburg. The trip was made in Mr. Spencer's automobile.

Mrs. Kate McCleaf and daughter Mildred recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Allison.

Rev Slifer and family were recent guests of Mr. James Musselman and family at Fairfield Station.

Bonneauville Fire.

Fire at noon on last Friday destroyed the barn and several other buildings owned by Wm. A. Noel, at Bonneauville, together with all the contents including one horse, two hogs, wagons, implements, 40 bushels of corn, and a quantity of hay. The fire was discovered by neighbors as Mr. Noel was returning to his home from his blacksmith shop. They notified him and he ran to the scene in an endeavor to enter the building and release the stock. The wind was blowing in the direction in which he had to do this, and he was soon driven back but not before he had been badly burned about the neck. The hog pen, implement shed and other buildings immediately adjoining the barn were consumed in the flames, but a bucket brigade saved the chicken house. The fire was burning fiercely about the top of the barn when discovered. The loss is placed at about $1500, partly covered by insurance.

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What Makes a Good Road.

Everybody agrees that the surface of a road must be oval in its contour, says Farm and Fireside, but not all understand that this oval ought to be as flat as the character of the road material and the lay of the land will permit. With brick or concrete construction the oval may be very flat, because the traffic makes no ruts to carry the water lengthwise of the road, nor does the pavement soften and develop depressions when kept in contact with water. But broken stone (water bound macadam), being susceptible to penetration by water and subject to great damage if frozen while soaked, must be given a higher oval, and for gravel roads a still steeper pitch is demanded.

As for earth roads, the steepness must be governed by the combined influence of a number of factors. Perhaps the leading factor is the quality of the earth in each particular case. And next might be placed the presence or absence of "seeps" or "spouts," while another of these vital factors would be the longitudinal pitch of the highway.

Pocahontas and Mrs. Wilson.

It was on the 21st of March, old style, in 1617, that Pocahontas, loveliest and most celebrated of all Indian women, died in England, on the eve of her projected return to her native land.

The climate of England did not agree with Pocahontas, and she was already in a state of decline when she proceeded to Gravesend with her husband, John Rolfe, and her infant son, Thomas, purposing to take passage on a ship bound for America. She had no sooner reached Gravesend than she was stricken down with smallpox, to which she soon succumbed.

Thomas Rolfe, the son of Pocahontas, had a daughter named Jane, who, in 1675, married Robert Bolling, a young Englishman who had settled in Virginia. Jane had one son, and he in turn was the parent of one son and five daughters. This son's great-great-grandson was William Holcomb Bolling, the father of Mrs. Woodrow Wilson.—New York World.

Da Vinci's "The Last Supper."

During the last years of the fifteenth century Leonardo da Vinci executed for the Duke of Milan his masterpiece of painting, "The Last Supper," a wall decoration in the refectory in the monastery of Santa Maria delle Grazie, Milan. Owing chiefly to his use of oil colors directly upon the wall, to neglect and to vandalism, only a ruin of the grand original remains. But, while for purposes of study it is necessary to refer to the many copies by Da Vinci's pupils, the best of which are those by Marco d'Oggiono, in St Petersburg and in the Royal academy, London, and to Raffaello Morghen's excellent print, the original alone gives the true though faint idea of the wonderful lighting and melting color The painting was in every respect epoch making, no less in pictorial qualities than in the remarkable composition.

The Gaucherie of Soldiers.

Soldiers when marching at night through open country invariably gravitate toward the left, not to the right. This is the experience of an old soldier, who thinks the tendency is due to two causes: First as the rifle is carried in the right hand it naturally follows that the weapon arm must be kept free, and in case of pressure, when in close formation, the instinctive rule is to put up the left elbow and say, "Ease off to the left." Second, the soldier always steps off with his left foot, and, although it may be hard to prove, there is always a slight deviation to the left, even when a battalion is marching in daylight toward a fixed point or any other point of support.—London Chronicle.

Her Recommendation.

A woman prominent as a social worker was in the city to engage a new girl the other day. She visited an employment agency which makes a specialty of finding places for country housemaids and was much pleased with one from the country.

"Why did you leave your last place?" asked the woman.

"I didn't have no last place," answered the girl, "because I ain't had no last place to leave, and I'm still working at it, being for myself that I've been working, and I'm sure I'm a good servant and I can recommend myself to you, ma'am."—Exchange.

Fanfoot Lizards.

Lizards are abundant in Palestine, Arabia and Egypt. Among these is the fanfoot lizard (Ptyodactylus gecko). It is reddish brown, spotted with white. The geckos live on insects and worms, which they swallow whole. They derive their name from the peculiar sound which some of the species utter.

Woman's Aim.

A bullet shot upward from the earth goes up to aphelion with a retarding or decreasing motion, but a bullet fired by a woman at a burglar will turn a street corner and hit an innocent pedestrian in the leg nine times out of ten.—Florida Times-Union.

The Uplift.

"Is she a help to her mother?" asked one woman.

"Yes, indeed," replied the other. "She has taught her to say 'culinary art' instead of 'cooking.'"

One of Those Crazy Questions.

"Well, great guns, Jones! I see you're wearing glasses. What for?"

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Bell With the Wail of a Child.

A queerly shaped gong which occupies a position of honor in the center of the city of Seoul, Korea, is said to be one of the largest in the world and is called "the bell with the wail of a child in its voice." When first cast the bell sounded with a harsh and cracked note, and the superstitious emperor, fearing an ill omen, consulted with his magicians. These gentlemen held a long confab and finally stated that the bell would never sound right until a live child was given to it. The mass was then melted again, and a live baby was thrown into the molten metal. The wail of agony uttered by the little tot as the bronze engulfed it seemed to be repeated every time the bell was tolled, and today the Koreans still claim that the wail of a child can be heard in the voice of the metal.

Uncalled For Courtesy.

The Vicomte Toussaint was formerly a colonel in the French army and mayor of Toulouse. He was a brave man and a dashing officer. During one of the hottest engagements of a terrible year of war, noticing that his troops were bending forward under a galling fire to escape the bullets of the enemy while he alone maintained an erect position, he exclaimed, "Since when, I should like to know, has so much politeness been shown to the enemy?" The sarcasm took instantaneous effect, for the soldiers rushed forward and carried everything before them.

Selenium Is Sensitive.

By substituting a selenium cell for the human eye at the telescope M. Fournie d'Albe believes it would be possible to detect stars five magnitudes fainter than any now observable, thus enormously increasing the powers of the greatest instruments. Theoretically a selenium cell of sixteen square inches would register the light of a twenty-eighth magnitude star, but this would require longer exposure—several days—than would be practicable.

Tenacity.

"Grain has been found clutched in the hands of an Egyptian mummy." "It beats all," commented the Chicago man, "how some of those speculators will hold on."—Washington Star.

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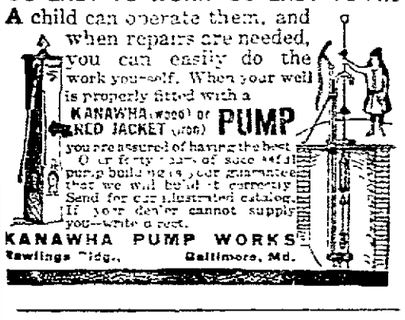
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DEATHS.

(Continued from page 1.)

ter, Grace, at home. Two brothers. Harry Lansinger of Hanover, and Stewart Lansinger of near Littlestown. also survive.

Charles E. Anthony, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Anthony, died last Thursday, May 24, at the home of his parents, near White Hall, Mt. Pleasant township, aged 20 years and 23 days. He is survived by four brothers and one sister besides his parents: John L., William H., Melvin F, George J., and Mabel I. Anthony, all at home. Funeral was Monday, services and interment at St. Luke's Church, Rev. Herman S. Shelly, officiating.

Samuel B. Stauffer died suddenly on Monday at his home in York from heart trouble, aged 57 years, 6 months and 6 days. He was a son of the late Samuel and Anna Mary Stauffer of Hanover. His wife, who was Miss Emma McSherry, of Littlestown, died four years ago. He leaves two sons, Francis, of Alliance, Ohio, and Harry, a member of Company D, First Regiment U. S. Engineer Corps stationed at Washington, D. C., and two daughters, the Misses Anna and Catherine at home. He was a traveling salesman for the P. A. and S. Small Company of York for the past twenty years. The funeral was held Thursday from St. Patrick's Catholic Church, York, of which the deceased was a member. After the services the remains were taken to Littlestown where interment was made in the Catholic Cemetery.

Mrs. Grace Wahler Hostetter, wife of Daniel Hostetter, died from pneumonia last Sunday at her home in Morrison, Va. She was a daughter of the late John and Sarah Wahler, of Littlestown, and was aged 28 years. She leaves her husband and one son, Virgil, also the following brothers and sisters: Arthur Wahler of Reading, John Whaler of Philadelphia, Ralph Wahler and Mrs. Maurice Feeser of Littlestown, and Miss Mary, Whaler of York. The funeral was held Wednesday, services ond interment at Morrison.

Charles N. Rudisill died at his home in Hanover Sunday following an extended illness aged 32 years, 10 months and 10 days. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Rudisill of Hanover. For the past year he conducted the Casino bowling alleys and prior to that time was employed by D. McG. Newcomer as a cigar maker for a period of fourteen years. Mr. Rudisill was a member of Hanover Aerie of Eagles, The Home Association and Cigar Makers' Union No. 316 of McSherrystown. On November 2, 1914, he was united in marriage to Miss Rosie Miller, daughter of Thos. Miller, of Midway, who survives with and only son, Richard. He also leaves his parents, two brothers, David W. Rudisill of Hanover, Roy R. Rudisill of McSherrystown, and a sister, Mrs. Maurice E. Lonce of Hagerstown, Md. Funeral was on Tuesday by Rev. M. J. Roth, interment in the family lot in Mt. Olivet Cemetery, Hanover.

Ambrose Zuck, son of the late Enoch and Savilla Staley Zuck, died very suddenly Monday morning from heart failure, while he sat in a rocking chair at his home in Midway, waiting for his breakfast. He was aged 67 years. He was born in Adams county, was married forty-one years ago to Miss Annie Groft, who is seriously ill from pleuro-pneumonia. Seven children survive: Mrs. Mrs. William Weisensale and Chas. Zuck of of Midway, David of Cleveland, Ohio. Arthur of Pottstown, Mrs. Nora March, wife of the Rev. Daniel March of Mount Alto, Mrs. Ralph Leese of Hanover, and Miss Irma at home.

William Foose, a former resident of Adams county, died at his home in York, Saturday morning aged 53 years. He had been suffering several weeks from a complication of diseases. He is survived by his wife and two sons, Wilbur Foose of Fla., and Clarence Foose of East Santon, Ohio. Funeral and interment at York.

Chester T. Haugh, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Sterner, of Stratton street, died Saturday evening at his home in Frederick from lock jaw developed from a splinter wound in his foot, aged 11 years, 8 months and 26 days. He leaves his father, his stepmother, one brother, Forest D. Haugh at home, and a half-brother, Frederick Barrick of Frederick. The funeral was held in Frederick on Monday.

Helen Grace Warren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Warren, died at the home of her parents in Fountaindale, Pa., Monday, May 21, after a short illness of acute nephritis, aged 6 years. After brief funeral services at the house, interment was made in the Fountaindale Cemetery, Rev. Fluhr officiating.

George C. Slaybaugh, 50 years old of York, died Tuesday morning. Mr. Slaybaugh was a well known contractor of West York for the past 18 years and had been in a critical condition for some time. He was a member of the Holy Name society of St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church. Surviving him are his wife, his stepmother, Mrs. Leonard Slaybaugh, and a daughter, Mrs. W. H Horning, all of York. He also leaves four sisters, one of whom is Mrs. Alice Timmons, Gettysburg, a brother, Chas. M. Slaybaugh of York, and two half-brothers, M. J. Slaybaugh and Ira Slaybaugh, both of York. Funeral was on Friday morning in the St. Rose of Lima Roman Catholic Church by Rev. H. J. Howarth, interment in St. Patrick's Cemetery.

Mrs. Susan D. Shields, wife of Wm. S. Shields, died at her home along the Emmitsburg road, about a mile from Gettysburg, on Wednesday from typhoid fever, aged 47 years, 4 months and 18 days. She was a daughter of Mrs. Lovina Tressler of Emmitsburg, Md., and the late Isaac Tressler. She was born in Frederick, Md., and spent her early life there, the family later moving to Wilmington, Del. Besides her mother, Mrs. Shields is survived by her husband and the following children: Arthur H. and William I. Shields of Gettysburg, and Clarence B., John H., Carrie M., Susan C., Goldie M. and Ruth Evelyn, all at home. The following brothers and sisters also survive: Grant, Ananias and Jesse Tressler, and Mrs. Grace Gamble of Wilmington, Del., Daniel Tressler, Chester Tressler and Mrs. Jennie Eyler, Mrs. Mary Wetzel and Miss Lucy Tressler of Emmitsburg, Md. The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon at one o'clock by Dr. R. S. Oyler with interment in Evergreen Cemetery.

William Brown, a well known retired farmer of East Berlin, died at his home on Wednesday evening a half hour after he had suffered a stroke of paralysis. Mr. Brown had sustained at least three slight strokes prior to this one, but had recovered and was able to be about his home. He attended a sale during the day and was in good spirits until Wednesday evening, when he became ill. He was aged 71 years. Mr. Brown was born in this county and for many years was engaged at farming in Reading township. About five years ago he moved to East Berlin, where he has since resided. He is survived by four children: Mrs. Ellen Ebersole, Mrs. Frank Fissel and Curtis Brown of East Berlin and William Brown of Reading township. His wife died about three years ago.

537 RED CROSS MEMBERS.

Gettysburg Responded Liberally to the Canvass.

Last Friday, May 25, the great drive for new members for the Red Cross was made in Gettysburg. Before the canvassers started there were 232 members in the local chapter. The canvassers brought them in quickly in a house to house canvass while the Red Cross ambulance suspended from a third story window of the G. W. Weaver & Son's Store Building kept the tally. The total membership quickly reached 300 and then began to climb to 400 by five o'clock in the afternoon the 500 goal mark had been attained and when the time for closing came the grand total was 535. On Memorial Day 12 more were added, so that the Gettysburg Chapter has now 537 members. Huber's Drug Store was donated by Hon. C. Wm. Beales as headquarters and a display was made in the window of the samples of work upon which the Gettysburg Chapter was engaged. The canvassing of the town was done by about forty members and the headquarters in charge of Mrs. Elsie Singmaster Lewars, the secretary, was a busy place from morning until night.

County Branches.

Reports from the Littlestown branch indicates that the membership there is nearing the half of the second hundred.

The New Oxford branch has made a century run and the canvassing is not completed.

The McSherrystown and Conewago branch held a meeting last week and plans completed for a house to house canvass.

The total membership in the county is approximately 800.

New branches will be formed at a number of places. On Thursday a branch was organized at Cashtown and Mrs. Clarence A. Bream was elected chairman and Mrs. Albert Woomer, secretary and treasurer. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Womer and was addressed by Mrs. Elsie Singmaster Lewars. The prospects are good for a large membership from that town and the surrounding county when canvass is made.

A meeting has been called for Saturday evening, June 2, to organize a Hunterstown branch of the Red Cross. Mrs. Lewars will speak. The meeting will be held at 8 P. M

Announcements have ben made in Biglerville for a meeting to organize a branch in that town on Saturday evening, June 9. Mrs. Lewars will speak at that time.

Announcements have also been made in Fairfield and York Springs of early meetings for purpose of organization, and Arendtsville, Bendersville, Latimore and other points have under consideration the question of a branch organization.

Selective Draft Registrars.

Sheriff Howard J. Hartman toward the end of last week completed his list of registrars for the various districts of the county, to have charge of the registration of all men betwen the ages of 21 and 30 inclusive on June 5th for the purposes of the selective draft law. The only officials at the polls on June 5th will be the assessor and the registrar. The registrars who have agreed to serve are the following:

Abbottstown—Charles Hafer.
Arendtsville—Pius S. Orner.
Bendersville—S. B. Gochnaur.
Berwick—Charles Sheaffer.
Biglerville—J. H. Seasley.
Butler—E. G. Lower.
Conowago—Steward Waltman.
Cumberland—Wm. L. Meals.
East Berlin—Harry Scott.
Fairfield—Earl Hartzell.
Franklin—John Hartman.
Freedom—Harvey Scott.
Germany—Clayton Bucher.
Gettysburg, First Ward—Dr. E. H. Markley.
Gettysburg, Second Ward—J. H. Holtzworth.
Gettysburg, Third—O. G. Baughman.
Hamilton—Luther A. Yohe.
Hamiltonban 1—D. R. McCleaf.
Hamiltonban 2—Edward Staley.
Highland—Howard L. Harbaugh.
Huntington 1—Wm. H. Smith.
Huntington 2—George Smick.
Latimore—Howard Gardner.
Liberty—J. E. Zimmerman.
Littlestown—C. H. Duttera.
McSherrystown 1—
McSherrystown 2—Dr. G. L. Rice.
Menallen—Frederick E. Griest.
Mt. Joy—Leonard Collins.
Mt. Pleasant 1—Uriah Stock.
Mt. Pleasant 2—Horace B. Geiselman.
Mt. Pleasant 3—A. H. Parr.
New Oxford—George Hummer.
Oxford—George D. Sheely.
Reading—John P. Myers.
Straban—Geo. A. Raffensperger.
Tyrone 1—W. S. Houck.
Tyrone 2—N. C. Deatrick.
Union—H. W. Kline.
York Springs—Gil P. Emmert.

Governor Brumbaugh has issued the following proclamation as to the registration:

I have been asked by many people what exemptions are to be made by the national government in the matter of the act of congress of May 18, 1917. Registration has been confused with conscription and that the minds of all may be informed I hereby state that,

"1—All male citizens between the ages of twenty-one and thirty, both years inclusive, must register on June 5 next. There are no exceptions to this whatever. All races, all creeds and conditions must alike conform to this act of congress and present themselves for registration at their several voting precincts on the day named above.

"2—Following this registration the President will take such steps as he may deem wise to enroll in the army and navy such registered persons as he may deem necessary.

"The act of congress however, exempts from military service under this law such registered persons as are:

"1—Officials of the legislative, executive and judicial departments of the United States Government, the State Government, the Territorial Government and the District of Columbia.

"2—Regularly or duly ordained ministers of religion, students who are at this time preparing for the ministry in recognized theological or divinity schools.

"3—All persons now in the military and naval service of the United States;

"4—Members of any well recognized religious sect or organization at present organized and existing and whose existing creed or principles forbid its members to participate in war in any form and whose religious convictions are against war or participation therein in accordance with the creed or principles of said religious organizations; but no person so exempted shall be exempted from service, in any capacity that the president shall declare to be noncombatant.

"It is important that all citizens and all registrars shall keep these facts in mind and, while all shall register on June 5, 1917, the four groups above indicated are excluded from those from whom membership in the army and navy shall be chosen later on."

Loses and Recovers Car.

Register and Recorder C. W. Gardner tried to lose his Overland touring car to two expert auto thieves, who took it from a shed on Dr. Myers' property in York Springs, on Monday night. But it, the car, not the cat, didn't come back the next morning. That is, Mr. Gardner found a good Samaritan next morning towing his car into Hanover, having found it along the York road. Mr. Gardner wanted to know what the towing was about and jumping in turned on the juice and the car moved off gracefully. The rescurer didn't know how to run the car. The auto had been carefully placed alongside the road and there seemed to be no other reason for its abandonment except the thieves likely wanted to take one car with them instead of two. Mr. Gardner had been able to trace his car to Hanover by the fact that one of the rear wheels was a plain tread and the other a safety and the latter had a chain on it.

Word came the same afternon that suspicious characters had been observed near Hanover and Chief of Police Smeach and Claude Bixler, agent of the Bell Telephone Co., started in pursuit and when they came up to the thieves, revolvers are pulled upon them and in obedience to orders the policeman and Mr. Bixler dismounted from the latter's auto and the thieves got in, keeping the men covered with the revolver all the time. They start, but in a short distance the auto is ditched and the thieves take to their heels across the fields and up to going to press had not been apprehended.

Big War Camp.

The big war camp for the Fourth and Seventh United States Regulars will be located south of Gettysburg near the Emmitsburg road. Supplies have been arriving by every train. The two regiments SHRDLU NUNU The Fourth Regiment arrived last night and the Seventh is expected to arrive today and will pitch their tents upon arrival. Water mains will be put down in the camps from the town water supply. It is said the two regiments will be enlarged rapidly to six regiments, nearly 12,000 men, and there will be busy times around town for months to come.

Commencement News.

The chart opened for tickets for commencement at Lincoln Way Theater this morning, June 2. The price of tickets including reserved seat will be twenty-five cents. The theater will be decorated as in past years, by Allan B. Plank.

Rev. Paul Tontius will preach the baccalaureate sermon in the Reformed Church at 7.30 P. M., Sunday, June 3rd.

Examinations in the High School began Friday, June 1st.

Meade School commencement will be next Thursday, June 7th, at 2 P. M. in the Meade Building, and High School commencement Thursday evening, June 7th, at 7.30 o'clock.

Assistant Secretary of War to Come.

Judge William M. Ingraham, Assistant Secretary of War, will visit the Gettysburg National Park next week, will attend the dedication on June 8 at 2 P. M., and on behalf of the War Department, will accept the Virginia Memorial for the United States.

Western Maryland Ry.

EFFECTIVE MAY 16, 1917.
Subject to change without notice.

8.59 a. m. Daily except Sunday, for **Hanover, York and intermediate points.**

10.57 a. m. Daily for Hagerstown, **Waynesboro, Chambersburg, Hancock, Cumberland, Pittsburgh, Chicago and the West,** also Elkins and intermediate points.

6.16 p. m. Daily, for Hanover, Baltimore and intermediate stations.

7.01 p. m. Daily except Sunday, for **Hagerstown and intermediate stations.**

S. ENNES, Gen. M'gr. C. F. STEWART, Gen. Pass. Agt.

NOTICE

The annual election for a President and seven managers for the Evergreen Cemetery Aassociation will be held on Monday evening, June 4th, in the Arbitration Room at the Court House at 7.30 o'clock. The lot holders are requested to attend.

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SATURDAY, JUNE 2, 1917

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

FOR DIRECTOR OF THE POOR.
SIMON P. MILLER,
Of Mt. Joy Township.

FOR DIRECTOR OF THE POOR.
P. P. EISENHART,
Of East Berlin.

PERSONALS.

(Continued on page 4).

Niles Biscuit Co. in Savannah, Ga., has enlisted as a member of the First Georgia Cavalry, Troop A.

—Frank Kelly, York street, has gone to Fort Niagara N. Y., where he will enter the officers' training camp.

—Miss Pauline Stock, daughter of E. C. Stock of Baltimire and a former merchant of York Springs, spent several days here last week with the families of Dr. E. H. Markley and C. W. Gardner. Miss Stock, who has been a nurse at Johns Hopkins University, expects to sail about June first with a Red Cross unit for France. Dr. Finney, the noted surgeon, will head the party.

—Richard F. Cleveland, son of the late ex-President Grover Cleveland, was a Gettysburg visitor on Monday. Mr. Cleveland has discontinued his studies at Princeton University to engage in the work of the Y. M. C. A. in the army camps.

—The G. W. Weaver & Son Department Store is giving out to their patrons attractive red,white and blue buttons inscribed with the partiotic slogan, "America First."

—Miss Bertha Oyler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Oyler, Chambersburg street, was a member of this year's graduating class of the Garfield Memorial Hospital, Washington, D. C. Mrs. Oyler and Miss Marguerite Oyler attended the graduation exercises, and were accompanied home by Miss Bertha Oyler who will spend several days at her home.

—The Lutheran Publication Society of Philadelphia has announced that on July 1st they will issue a new book entitled "The Singing Weaver and Other Stories." Hero Tales of the Reformation, by Julius and Margaret Seebach. Mrs. Seebach is a daughter of Dr and Mrs. John A. Himes, Carlisle street.

—Prof. J. Willard Hershey of Defiance Ohio, and Samuel Hershey and family of Greensburg, who were called home on account of the death of their father, the late Abraham Hershey, have returned to their homes after spending the week with their mother at her home on York street.

—The Senior class of the High school gave a surprise party for Miss Helen Cope on Friday evening at her home on Baltimore street. At the close of the evening Edwin Shoop, president of the class, presented Miss Cope with a handsome traveling bag, as a token of the esteem from the class.

—The High street school building was closed on Thursday afternoon on account of the discovery of a case of diphtheria in one of the rooms, Glen Minter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norris L. Minter. The building will be thoroughly fumigated and reopened on Monday morning for the closing week of school.

—Geo. F. Eberhart has had a large electric sign hung in front of his garage on Chambersburg street, it is very attractive and can be seen for quite a distance. It is made in the shape of a wheel which when the lights flash off and on, appears to be revolving. In the center is the name of the garage which flashes alternately in red, white and blue letters.

—Thursday, June 21st, has been fixed for the formal opening of the Kiwanis Playground this summer. The committee in charge is composed of M. K. Eckert, W. D. Gilbert, and H. B. Sefton. They will name a number of sub-committees, and a complete program of games and amusements for the day will be prepared.

—Earl and Floyd Kump of Cashtown were slightly injured on Wednesday afternoon when their Ford car overturned on the Confederate avenue near the cross road to the Emmitsburg road. In attempting to pass another machine the driver got off the road and struck a cannon which turned the car over. Earl was thrown out and Floyd was caught beneath the car. The body and fenders of their machine were wrecked and the cannon suffered some slight damage.

—Miss Kate McCreary has returned to her home on West Middle St after spending a week with friends in Steelton.

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MEMORIAL DAY, 1917.

(Continued from page 1.)

"Mine eyes have seen the glory of the coming of the Lord
He is trampling out the vintage where the grapes of wrath are stored;
He hath loosed the fateful lightning of His terrible swift sword
Our God is marching on.

In the beauty of the lillies Christ was born across the sea
With a glory in his bosom that transfigures you and me,
As He died to make men holy, let us die to make men free,
While God is marching on."

And when the great hymn had ended a bishop arose in the sacred historic pulpit and exclaimed solemnly, triumphantly, "America has found her soul."

These honored dead beheld their mission

In the presence of war they heard their call to duty. God's trumpet blast sounding imperatively amid war's wide commotion. Their nation was to perish unless they lifted up a hand to save it. Their flag of liberty would be trailed in the dust unless they rushed forth to receive it and bear it forward. They were the defenders of liberty, they were the protectors of democracy, they were the hope of future generations.

So we to-day, the people of this great republic, one hundred millions strong, confronting a greater war and a greater cross—as the whole world is greater than any one nation—hear our call to duty, hear God's trumpet blast sounding imperatively over war's wide commotion.

Our freedom and the world's freedom are to perish unless we lift up a hand to save. Our flag of liberty and the world's banner of freedom will be trailed in the dust unless we rush forth to bear it forward. We to-day, in the world's great crisis, are the defenders of liberty, the protectors of democracy, the hope of future generations.

The mission of America is the expression of her soul, and the soul of America is democracy. The mission of the nation is as the mission of the individual the working out of what God works in. Hence America's mission is to express her soul, to work out into the world of nations the great achievement which God has wrought in her. Her gift from God is democracy. Hence, because she possesses this divine bestowment, she is indebted to the world to give democracy to every nation and people.

America's mission to-day is the same as in the sixties, but on a larger scale, on a world scale. She had her vision. It took her a long time to understand and become sure. At last she saw and, as she saw, she heard. She heard God's trumpet sounding, she heard Duty call, and she answered.

Recently the hero of the Marne moved down 5th Avenue, N. Y., between rows of cheering Americans. The next morning the "N. Y. Times" had this appellation applied to him, "He saved Civilization." But the battle of the Marne was but the beginning. There are now to be other limned against the background of Paris, London and America, other heroes, many of whom are to be Americans.

The world is a great community, it is a great house of nations, it is a great international society. It cannot exist permanently half-slave, half-free. It cannot exist half-barbaric and half-civilized. Either it must be all slave or all free. It must be all barbaric or all civilized. It must be all autocracy or all democracy. Which shall it be? There is for us but one answer. The freedom and the civilization which our fathers purchased with their blood must be kept for ourselves and for succeeding generations.

This is the street called "Straight." It is the avenue of Duty. It is the highway of Destiny. Along this roadway of duty we are to march, we, God's great multitude of freemen, are to tread. Israel's hosts marched to the Red Sea to find nothing but an impassable barrier was before them. But overhead was the pillar of cloud by day and the pillar of fire by night and amidst it all was the voice of the Leader, "Stand still and see the salvation of the Lord."

America's mission has been given a voice, but the voice is two fold. The voice is two voices, yet one. One is the voice of Abraham Lincoln, a half century ago in the day of these honored dead. The other is the voice of Woodrow Wilson now in our day.

America's mission is to save civilization. But that is not civilization which enslaves any individual or race of individuals. You can only think of civilization as connected with freedom. Civilization cannot exist without the existence of human freedom.

Upon hundreds of sacred spots such as this upon this Memorial Day the people of America offer themselves on the altar of sacrifice that there may be a new birth of freedom for this nation and for the world. Except a man be born from above, born again, have a new birth, he can not see the kingdom of God. A world democracy means the kingdom of God on earth, the kingdom of righteousness and peace and joy in spiritual things and this is to come only through a new birth of freedom.

We are facing the greatest crisis in human history. Here in the midst of these graves and the sacred memories of the past we pray Almighty God that we may have the same patriotism and the same spirit of sacrifice that they had who here, half a century ago, fought and died that this nation might live, and that the government of the people might never perish.

They who fought the battles of Old Glory in the sixties fought for human freedom; they fought for liberty and won it. And that was a great day when the heroes who bore Old Glory through four years of conflict, presented at last to America the Freedom Ring of Civilization.

It will be a greater day when they who, side by side, have fought on the world's great battlefields beneath the federate banners of all the democracies of the world, shall present to the rounded earth, to this present generation, and to all future ages a New Birth of Freedom.

RED CROSS WEEK

June 18 to 25. Get in Line. Lend a Hand.

The nation wide campaign to raise an American Red Cross Fund of one hundred million dollars to enable that organization, the only relief force officially recognized by the Government to meet the great obligations which it must bear in the war, will soon be under way in every part of the United States. June 18 to 25 has been designated as "Red Cross Week" for the boosting of membership and donations throughout the nation. Henry P. Davison, chairman of the War Council of the Red Cross recently said:

"The most stupendous and appealing call in the history of the world to aid suffering humanity," said Mr. Davison, "confronts our Red Cross. Millions of men who have been fighting for liberty lie dead or wounded; millions of women and children are homeless and helpless; hundreds of towns and villages have been destroyed; disease and distress are rampant.

"Up to now our own people have not suffered. While Europe has been pouring out her life-blood, America has experienced a prosperity she had never known before.

"But now we ourselves are in this gigantic war. We now see that the struggle against autocracy and tyranny which our allies have ben making is and has from the first been, in reality, no less our struggle than theirs. We ourselves must now share the suffering which they have endured; we, too, must bear the burdens and we must do our part in a very real way.

"Our Red Cross is a vital factor in the struggle. To promote efficiency in administering its great responsibilities the President of the United States has created a Red Cross War Council. We of the council know now only what the minimum requirements are. But we know already that the needs which our Red Cross can alone supply are at present beyond computation.

"Something of what we must expect to do and something of the sacrifices which we must expect to make will be indicated by the following summary of the very present situation:

"Hundreds of American doctors and nurses are already at the front. A force of 12,000 American engineers will soon be rebuilding the railroads of France. Upward of 25,000 American men are now on the battlefields of Europe, fighting as volunteers in the allied armies; soon 25,000 American regulars will be added to their number. All our National Guard is to be mobilized, our regular army is to be recruited to full strength, and 500,000 other men are shortly to be called to the colors. Within a few months we should and will have in service an army of 1,000,000 and a navy of 150,000 men.

"These men must have our best. To prepare against their needs in advance will be a stupendous task which the Red Cross must undertake. Doctors, nurses, ambulances, must be made ready. Vast quantities of hospital stores, linen, bandages, and supplies of every kind must be prepared and at once. If we wait, it may be too late. When we ask our own sons and brothers to fight for our liberty 3,000 miles from home in a country already sore and afflicted, surely we cannot do less than prepare to take care of them in their day of suffering.

"Gallant Canada from 8,000,000 population raised an army of 450,000 men. Eighty thousand are dead or injured, and Canda has raised in value $16,000,000 for the Red Cross to relieve her sick and wounded. Her Red Cross, thus vitalized by the sacrifice of those at home, has been able to save thousands from death or misery."

Burns Endowment.

The exercises in connection with the formal endowment of the burial lot of John Burns in the Evergreen Cemetery will take place on Thursday of next week, June 7. Mr. J. W. Johnston of Rochester, New York, has made all the plans by which he will endow the Burns lot, and provide for the erection of a flag and pole, to be always maintained at that point. A sum sufficient for the purpose will be given to the Cemetery Board of Directors.

The following is the program for the Burns dedication of this endowment on June 7 at 10 A. M.:

Bugle Call—Assembly.

Prayer by J. A. Clutz, D.D., Chaplain of Post 9, G. A. R.

Introductory Words by Rev. F. E. Taylor.

Uniurling of Flag by Gen H. S. Huidekoper of the 150th Pa. Vols., of Philadelphia.

Male Quartet, Star Spangled Banner.

Presentation by J. W. Johnston Esq., of Rochester.

Acceptance by Hon. R. Wm. Bream.

Remarks by Hon. Theo. McAllister, Adjt. of Post 9, G. A. R.

Dedication by T. C. Billheimer D.D., Past Commander Post 9, G. A. R.

Oration by Lieut. A. D. Rood of Co. K, 7th Wis.

Male Quartet, America.

Taps.

Benediction by R. S. Oyler, D.D.

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—Rev. W. D. E. Scott and family of Bendersville, spent Memorial Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Trostle, Baltimore street.

TUESDAY

HOW the old range does love to heat things up, especially when it's sizzling hot outside! Then, there's always the coal or wood to carry, always that constant raking and poking, pulling this and pushing that, to keep the fire going.

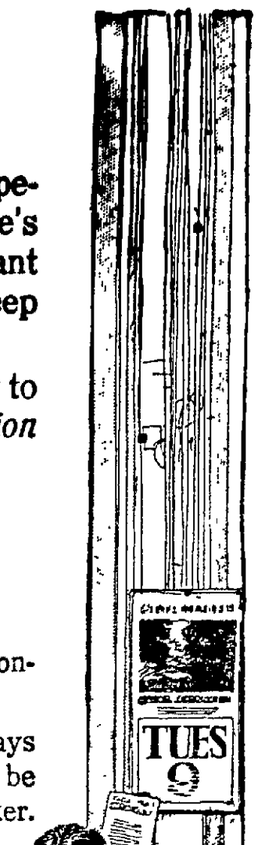
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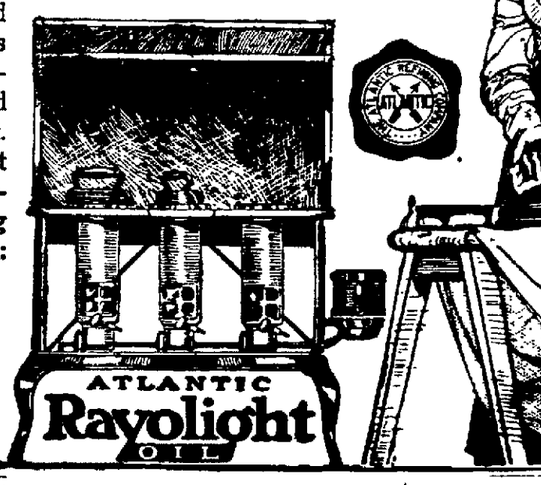
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NOTICE.
GETTYSBURG GAS CO.

Call and notice of meeting of bond holders.

Notice is hereby given to the holders of all first mortgae 4 per cent bonds of the Gettysburg Gas Co., a corporation organized under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and doing business in the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams Co Pa., secured under the terms of a certain mortgage given by said Gettysburg Gas Company unto Henry C Picking, of Gettysburg, Adams Co., Pa., as trustee, under date of February 6, 1903, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of Adams Co., Pa., in Mortgage Book "P" at page 596, that pursuant to provisions contained in said mortgage, a meeting of the said bond holders is hereby called for the purpose of electing and appointing a successor trustee under said mortgage to fill the vacancy in said trusteeship caused by the resignation of Henry C. Picking, the trustee named in said mortgage, the said meeting of bond holders will be held at the offices of John D. Keith, Esq., in the First National Bank Building, Borough of Gettysburg, Adams Co., Pa., on the 25th day of July, 1917, at 1.30 o'clock, in the afternoon.

WM. D. HIMES.
President of Gettysburg Gas Co.
Dated May 14, 1917.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of John P. Hoffman, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, and all persons indebted are required to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them in legal form to

CITIZENS' TRUST CO., Executor.
Gettysburg, Pa.
Or the Atty. for the Estate.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Leo A. Sneeringer, late of Conowago township, Adams county, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

WM. McSHERRY,
Gettysburg,
Adams Co., Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Susan E. Allewelt, late of the Township of Berwick, Adams county, Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned and all persons indebted are required to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them in legal form to

CITIZENS' TRUST CO.,
Administrator.
Gettysburg, Pa.

WANTED—A middle aged man and wife without children to live with three ladies. The wife to do the cooking and assist in house work. The man to care for the garden, lawn, etc. Combined wages $50.00 per month and keep. Only sober and industrious persons of good character need apply. Address,

P. O. BOX C,
Spring Grove.

—Miss Elsie Sherman of York is spending a few days with friends in town.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals for the erection and construction of a bridge will be received by the Commissioners of the County of Adams, and State of Pennsylvania, until 12 M, Tuesday, June 12, 1917, and publicly opened at the office of said Commissioners at 1 P M. of the same day.

One Reinforced Concrete Twin Arch Bridge over Little Conewago Creek on State Highway leading from New Oxford to Gettysburg, about one half mile west of New Oxford, two spans 50 feet each, 26 feet wide over all 11 feet rise with 50 feet wing walls as shown on plans.

Bidders for this bridge must submit with their estimate a plan showing the method they intend to use in reinforcing same which must meet the approval of the Commissioners and their Engineer.

Specifications and plans may be seen and proposal blanks obtained at the office of the County Commissioners in Court House, Gettysburg, Penna.

A certified check for the sum of 10 per cent of the bid, payable to the County Commissioners of the County of Adams, State of Pennsylvania, must accompany each bid.

Each bid must be sealed and addressed to the Commissioners of Adams County, Gettysburg, Penna., and endorsed on the outside of the envelope containing same "Proposal for the erection of a concrete bridge."

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

H. B. SLAGLE
H. J. MARCH
E. C. KEEFER
County Commissioners.

Attest:
G. ALLEN YOHE, Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE

LEVYING THE TAX RATE FOR THE BOROUGH OF GETTYSBURG FOR THE YEAR 1917.

Be it enacted and ordained by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Gettysburg, and it is hereby enacted and ordained by the authority of the same:

Section 1. That for the year 1917 there is levied a tax of 9 1-2 mills for general Borough purposes.

Section 2. That for the year 1917 there is levied a tax of 1 1-2 mills for the payment of interest accruing on bonds, and for the redemption of such bonds as may legally mature.

Adopted by Council the 1st day of May, 1917.

C. F. DOUGHERTY,
President.

Attest:
C. F. KITZMILLER,
Secretary.

Approved this 7th day of May, 1917.
J. W. EICHOLTZ,
Burgess.

Western Maryland Ry. Co.

Important Schedule Change

EFFECTIVE MAY 18, 1917.

Trains N. 7 "Western Express" and No. 8 "Eastern Express" heretofore providing night passenger service between Baltimore and Pittsburgh, and intermediate points will be discontinued effective May 18, 1917.

C. F. Stewart, G. P. A.

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REPORT

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RESOURCES

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Overdraits, unsecured		627.53
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)		145,000.00
Other bonds, securities, etc., owned unpledged (other than stocks), including premiums on same		389,158.64
Stocks other than Federal Reserve Bank stock		10,756 25
Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve Bank	$15,400.00	
Less amount unpaid	$7,700.00	7,700.00
Banking house $46,500; furniture and fixtures $8,500		55,000.00
Due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago and St. Louis		6,154.34
Due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities		43,042.39
Due from banks and bankers (other than above)		8,165.39
Outside checks and other cash items $1,656 08; fractional currency nickels and cents $ 250.63		1,906 71
Checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		2,183.69
Notes of other National banks		2,485.00
Federal reserve notes		230.00
Lawful money reserve in bank: and with Federal Reserve Banks		63,390.92
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (not more than 5 per cent on circulation)		7,250.00
Total		$1,509,200.35

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Capital stock paid in	$145,150.00
Surplus fund	110,000.00
Undivided profits	$59,645.02
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	$21,279.68 38,365.34
Circulating notes	145,000.00
Net amount due to banks and bankers	1,561.65
Dividends unpaid	28.50
Demand deposits:	
Individual deposits subject to check	198,478.99
Cashier's checks outstanding	7,209.39
Certified checks	5.00
Time Deposits:	
Deposits subject to 30 or more days' notice	893,401.73
Total	$1,509,200.35

State of Pennsylvania, County of Adams, SS:

I, E. M. Bender, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

E. M. BENDER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of May, 1917.

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Gray Hairs Can't Make You Old.

People do not grow old so fast as they used to. Time was when the fathers and the mothers seldom left home.

They would not think of taking part in any sort of frivolous conversation.

Grandfather and father, too, went around the house with a "dark as the tomb" sort of face, and if the young folk got too hilarious "Tut, tut," you would hear them say.

Now granddad enjoys a good play, a football game, and a baseball game makes him as young as the next one.

Bravo! That is the right idea. Don't give up to the gray hairs.

Silver threads should not absorb all the golden hues from your life.

Keep abreast of the times. Read up so you can converse with your children on modern topics.

Interest yourself in their work and their play. Help them play and you will keep your heart young.—Los Angeles Herald.

Henry James' Adverbs.

Stevenson spotted the unconscionable repetition of certain adjectives in "Roderick Hudson," but probably the most marked characteristic of Henry James' style is his passion for adverbs and adverbial clauses. He is the most adverbial of English writers. You will find more adverbs to the page than even in Meredith. And he had a quaint habit of putting the adverb before the verb, when most writers would put it after. One of his ladies (for examples are taken at random) "thankfully felt," another "quite beautifully and tenderly smiled." And "after all" crops up all over the place. But one would not have these things altered; they were part of the man. One does object to them, however, in his imitators, who have learned the trick, but missed the spirit behind it.—London Chronicle.

Chewing the Crude Rubber.

About the first process rubber goes through on the way to become a tire or tube is mastication. After the crude Para is washed it is broken up into lumps and tossed into the crackers. These are machines with heavy rollers, which take the rubber in between them and chew it. Entering the mastication room ... the first impression is that there is a brush fire burning ... of smoke ... crackles and ... and then hisses ... The stuff is kept ... until it comes up in regular sheets ... looking like a sort of ... with crumbs. Then after ... drying in vacuum chambers it is ... in with the ... and other things that make up the compound.—New York Sun.

A Hint For Young Romeos.

If the boss has no bad habits he should acquire some or at least lead her to believe that he has one or two. Courtship isn't complete unless the heroine can beg him to quit something that is destroying his sweet health or, worse still, something that makes him almost a bold, bad man. She used to beg and beg us to quit gambling, and a few years after the wedding she was cruel enough to tell us that she knew all the time that we were not a gambler. She was just humoring us.—Claude Callan in Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

An Irresistible Call.

Hulda, the Swedish maid, had served her mistress faithfully for a year when one day she announced her intention of leaving.

"Why, Hulda, what is the matter? Is the work too hard? Or don't you like your wages?

"De vork he be all right, an' de vages he be, too, but the beau—he moost have me."—San Francisco Chronicle.

The Shoestring Republic.

Chile is as long as from New York to San Francisco and as narrow as Lake Erie. Truly a "shoestring republic." She is squeezed tightly between the mountain range and the coast. Her cities look up to the hills and down to the sea, with, as Arthur Ruhl puts it, "the Andes hanging like a beautiful drop curtain at the eastern end of every street." Chile contains twenty-four provinces, and the largest province is big enough to hold all Pennsylvania, Vermont, Rhode Island and Massachusetts. **The Chileans are the Yankees of South America, aggressive, keen, making fortunes from nitrate, erecting a chain of wireless stations from the near tropical north tip of the Chilean shoestring to the Antarctic south tip and preparing for Panama trade by expending $12,000,000 on port and dock improvements. Chile is elbowing her way in among the most forward pushing nations of the twen-**tieth century.—World Outlook.

Is Lacquer Ware Doomed?

The ancient Japanese art of lacquering is in danger of extinction, for the supply of lacquer is threatening to give out. Lacquer is made from the juice of the lacquer tree or varnish tree. It forms a very hard surface and stands heat to such an extent that the Japanese use lacquered vessels for hot drinks. They consume about 1,000 tons of lacquer every year for all sorts of articles, both for export and home use—work boxes, tables, fire screens, trays, bread baskets, carriages and musical instruments. Three-fourths of the lacquer comes from China, but so much has been used of late years that the demand exceeds the supply.

The lacquer tree is something like an ash and takes a good time to grow to maturity. The method by which the sap is handled is wasteful, it costs a great deal to get the varnish to a market and the native exporters have the monopoly of it. These causes together account for the shortage of the supply.—London Standard.

A Pedestrian Once More.

"I see Brown riding on the street cars. I thought he owned an auto."

"He does, but he made the mistake of teaching his wife to drive it."—Detroit Free Press.

Real Optimism.

Our idea of an optimist is a farmer who thinks he could live happily in town on $40 a month.—Galveston News.

Sincerity is the basis of all true friendship. Without sincerity it is like a ship without ballast.

Drawn Glass.

On account of its great strength drawn glass is used for many purposes. It withstands sudden changes of temperature, resists fire to a great extent and is very strong.

A Delusion.

Blibson—How was Jones yesterday? Glibson—He seemed to be laboring under a strange delusion. Blibson—Indeed! I thought he was playing golf. Glibson—So did Jones!

Milton's Opinion.

Milton was once asked if he intended to instruct his daughter in the different languages. He replied: "No, sir. One tongue is sufficient for a woman."

Its Complaint.

A somewhat weather beaten tramp being asked what was the matter with his coat replied: "Insomnia. It hasn't had a nap for ten years!"

His Position.

"What was at the bottom of that fight between Thompson and Jimpson?"

"Jimpson was till Thompson was pulled off."

The more one judges the less one loves.—Balzac.

Warning.

"He says I am the only girl he has ever loved."

"I'd beware of him."

"Why?"

"I think it dangerous to tie up for life with a man who takes the first thing that comes along."—Detroit Free Press.

The Day After.

Jack—Who is that fine looking girl that just bowed to you? Tom (gloomily)—Oh, that is my sister. Jack—Why, old chap, I wasn't aware that you had a sister. Tom—Well, I wasn't aware of it myself until last night.—Indianapolis Star.

But They Are Not Voters.

Politician—Who's back of you? Officeseeker—Ten generations of glorious ancestors! Politician—Oh! I might get you a job classifying fossils in the Smithsonian Institution.—Puck.

PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT.

Do You Know That—

A little cough often ends in a large coffin?

Bodily vigor protects against colds?

Careless sneezing, coughing, spitting, spread colds?

Open air exercise cures colds?

Overheated, air tight rooms beget colds?

Neglected colds often forerun pneumonia?

Persistent, oft repeated colds indicate bodily weakness?

Efficiency decreases as fatigue increases?

A cold bath every morning is the best complexion remedy?—United States Public Health Service.

Smoke Screens In Naval Warfare.

The smoke screen or smoke attack that is so effective in naval warfare originated in the United States navy, being first used in our **destroyer fleet** when it was under the **command of** Captain Eberle.

The writer well remembers **being present at such an attack off Block Island several years ago, when five groups of destroyers, twenty in all,** crossed the head of a column of battleships until they were in the wind ward position, and then, with the leading destroyers smoking heavily, swept down the line of the enemy at a distance of about 1,300 yards. The pall of dense smoke rolled down to leeward, enveloping the enemy and screening the destroyers from observation, but above the dense and low lying bank of smoke could be seen the successive pairs of fighting tops of the battleships, and had the maneuver been an actual battle some of the capital ships would have been heavily torpedoed.—Scientific American.

Largest Zoo In the World.

The New York zoological park, both in point of area covered and the number of living creatures maintained there, is the largest menagerie in the world, and even the old established institutions of the kind in Europe, where there is no free admission, can boast of no better buildings or more splendid grounds.

At the New York zoological park there are more than 5,000 specimens, representing about 1,300 species, and all of these have to be fed and well fed. In fact, some of the specimens, far removed from their native habitat, must be supplied with certain dainties which they would obtain but occasionally in their native wilds, but which help them to thrive here. Nowhere are animals, birds and reptiles more carefully looked after, and the very few deaths at this park long since established it in a class by itself.—New York Telegram.

Proving Multiplication.

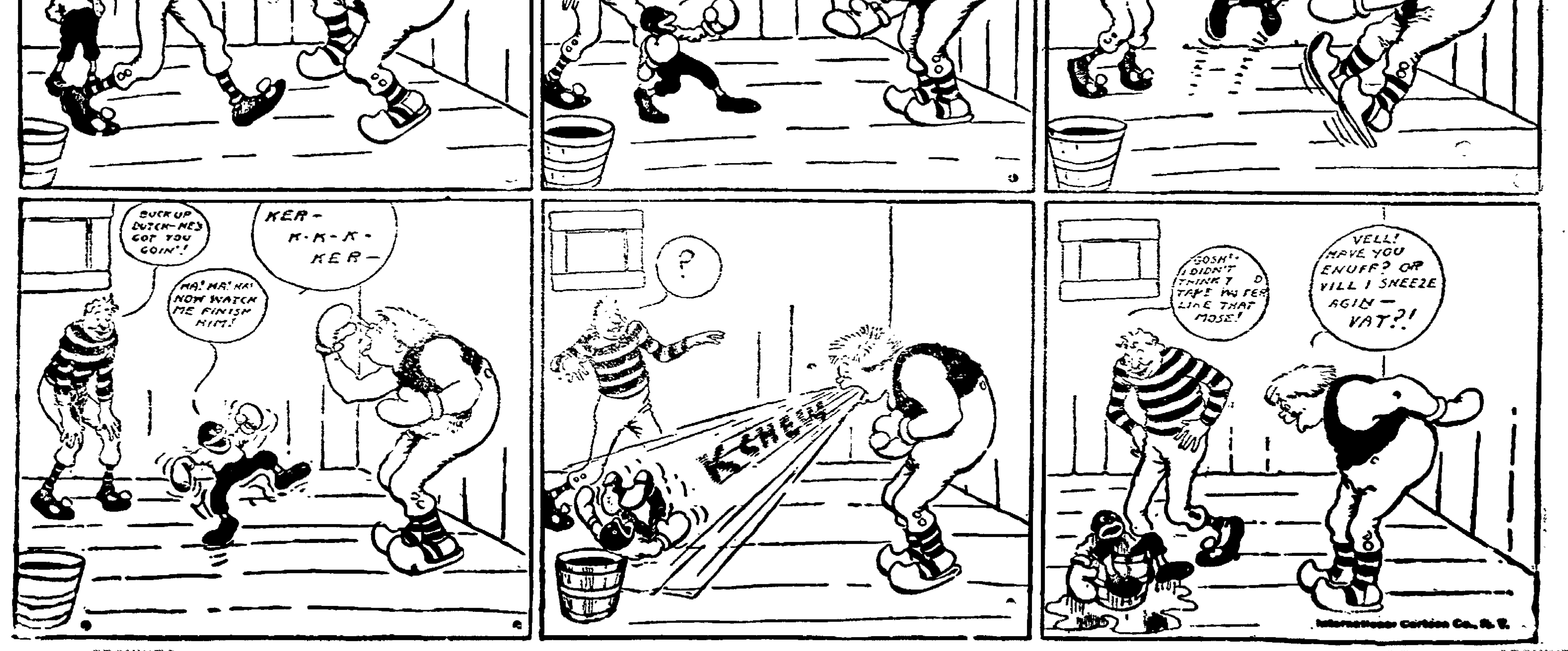
The following method, which is taught in nearly all English elementary schools in India, is the quickest way of proving multiplication, and it will be found that it is absolutely correct in every case.

Example—Multiply 84,689 by 5,214=441,568,446. Add all the digits of the multipli and till one digit is obtained, thus: 8+4+6+8+9=35=3+5=8. Do likewise with the multiplier, thus: 5+2+1+4=12=1+2=3. Multiply the two results and add the digits till one digit is obtained: 8×3=24=2+4=6. Lastly, add the digits of the product till one digit is obtained, thus: 4+4+1+5+6+8+4+4+6=42=4+2=6, and if the result agrees with the result obtained by adding the digits of the preceding sums the product is correct. We get 6 in both cases. Hence the product is correct.—Machinery.

Restraint of Trade.

The Dentist—I'll have to charge you $2.50 for pulling that tooth. The Patient—I thought you charged 50 cents. **The Dentist—Yes; but you yelled so loud you scared four other patients out of the place.—New York Times.**

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My Watcher

A Story of the Opening of the Great War.

By F. A. MITCHEL

I went abroad to travel for pleasure as soon as I had been graduated from college. I went to England, then over to France, and from there I went through Switzerland to Germany.

I was in Berlin in July, 1914, just before the breaking out of the great European war. I was walking one evening on that broad thoroughfare called Unter den Linden when I met a man whose eye I happened to catch. Until we had passed our eyes were fixed upon each other, why I could not divine. I presumed that he saw me looking at him, and he looked at me for that reason. Such things are quite liable to happen. There was nothing noticeable about the man except that he was very well dressed. As to his nationality, I did not know what it was; but, meeting him in Germany, I concluded that he was a German. From his lineaments he might have been of almost any of the white races that had their origin in a northern climate.

The same evening I went into a restaurant for dinner, gave my hat and cane to a waiter and, taking a seat at a table, scanned the menu. On raising my eyes from it I looked into those of the man I had met in the afternoon. He was regarding me with an expression which I could not exactly interpret. It might be expressed as ill at ease, but again it might have indicated cunning.

I still believed that it was a matter of happening, coincidence, whatever one may choose to call it, that was between us, and we had no more actual interest in each other than any other two men who happened to meet twice on the same day. Nevertheless during the dinner I occasionally cast a glance in his direction, and it always happened that he cast one at me at the same moment.

Intending to leave for America, I went the next morning to the American embassy to have my passport vised. As I was coming out whom should I see going in but the man I had twice met before. He started at seeing me and hurried on into the building. I went across the street and remained where I would not easily be seen waiting for him to come out. When he did so he stood on the sidewalk looking up and down the street. I believed that he was looking for me. Presently he moved away.

I mentioned these meetings to a German friend of mine. His theory was that the man was a spy in the employ of the government. "The city is full of them," he said, "and I fancy every stranger who comes here has a guardian assigned to him to watch him during his stay." This put a new idea into my head. I no longer considered our meetings accidental. I believed that I was being shadowed.

The next day the world was startled by a declaration of war. I had intended to leave for home on that day and, being ready, boarded a train. It was the last or one of the last regular trains to leave Berlin. I stepped into a compartment and was placing my hand baggage on the rack when the door was darkened by some one entering. There was not light enough to make out who it was, but when we were both seated and the train pulled out of the station, with a better light there was my watcher.

There was a change in him since I had last seen him. He was now clean shaven. Had not my attention been so thoroughly called to him I question if I should have recognized him as he now appeared.

I confess I was worried. I had esteemed myself lucky to get out of Berlin, but I now feared that this man would not permit me to leave Germany. Was I not in danger of being arrested and held for a spy? I remembered with anxiety some photographs of historic places that I had in my trunk and was not sure but that one of them took in distant fortifications. If so, and this man was on my track, I might be taken off the train at any moment, detained in prison and possibly executed.

When we stopped at a station long enough to enable me to get something to eat I went to a lunch counter and while eating saw my watcher sitting at the other end of the counter. He looked aside at me at the very moment I looked at him.

After finishing my luncheon I went back to my compartment, expecting the man to return and resume his seat. But the guard shut the door, and the train started on without his having entered. Looking up into the rack where I had seen him place a satchel, his only hand baggage, I saw that it was not in its place.

I wondered what he was up to by this move. Had he left the train or only the compartment? Why had he ceased to keep me under his eye? I could not answer these questions. But I believed the move meant something to his advantage and to my disadvantage. I shuddered lest he had relinquished his watchfulness over me to turn it over to the soldiers.

As we approached the border my anxiety increased. I did not believe the man would permit me to get out of Germany. Why he had let me go so far I could not imagine. But I knew that the German police have their own way of doing things, and I supposed there was method in their madness. Just before we reached the border, where the train stopped, an officer of the army put his head into the compartment evidently looking for some one. I was in a condition of mind to cry out, "I am the man you're looking for; take me and shoot me and have it over with." After what seemed to me minutes—it was only seconds—he withdrew, and I heaved a long drawn sigh of relief.

When the train stopped at the border we were all compelled to pass an examination that took a long while, though the government had not at that time instituted the rigorous examinations of a later date. While thus detained during a transit from one room to another I saw my watcher talking with an official. He was pointing to some one or something, and I was sure he was pointing at me. But in another moment I knew he had not seen me, for on catching sight of me I saw him suddenly make an effort to appear unconcerned.

There has been no moment in my life when I have felt such exquisite happiness and relief as when I found myself beyond German territory and rolling along on the rails in France in the direction of Paris. I was convinced that if my watcher was employed by the German government to arrest me he would have done so before I got out of Germany. My theory was that I was a suspect, but proof against me had not been adduced. Likely the man had been directed to keep me in sight to note any act on my part that would indicate treason to the government. Not having discovered any such act, he had felt obliged to allow me to leave the country.

Well, I got safely to Paris, where I found greater commotion than in Berlin. At the same hotel where I stopped was an American family, Mrs Turnlee and her two daughters. She approached me soon after my arrival and asked me of the situation in Germany, being anxious about her husband, who was there. I gave her what information I had, but it was not such as to reassure her. I became acquainted with her daughters—an introduction was dispensed with, considering the troublous times—and we became quite chummy. The elder, Miss Lillian Turnlee, and I took a desperate fancy to each other the moment we met, and I prolonged my stay in Paris in order to remain near her.

Some ten days after my arrival, Mrs Turnlee received a letter from her husband from London, stating that he had succeeded in leaving Germany, and since matters in England had required his attention he had concluded to go there instead of Paris. His family were instructed to join him there, and they would all sail for home as soon as they could secure passage.

Before getting away from Paris, Mrs Turnlee received another letter from her husband informing her that communication with America had been almost entirely cut off, and if she preferred Paris to London she might remain there until he could get a passage home. Mrs. Turnlee and her daughters very much preferred Paris to London, and wrote that they would remain where they were.

In Miss Lillian Turnlee I met my fate, and within a few weeks after my arrival in Paris we were engaged. I was acceptable to the mother, and my fiancee was naturally anxious that I should make a good impression on her father. She wrote him that she was engaged to the "loveliest man on earth" and was sure he would approve of her choice. As to that I well knew nothing could be determined till he saw me.

A time came when Mr. Turnlee succeeded in securing passage on a liner bound for New York and wrote his family to come at once to London. I found it convenient to go with them—indeed, the, felt the need of a man's services on the journey. We crossed the channel at night with the lights darkened and arrived in London the next morning. I separated from my friends at the railway station, going to my lodgings, having arranged to call on them in the evening and meet my future father-in-law.

I have said that my getting safely out of Germany was the moment of greatest happiness and relief of my life. The moment of greatest astonishment and horror was when I met Mr. Turnlee. The whole family were present. Lillian took me by the hand and led me to her father. He was staring at me as if he had seen a monster. I returned his gaze in kind. His family, especially Lillian, wondered.

"What object had you in shadowing me in Berlin," he asked angrily, "and afterward on the train?"

"My dear sir," I said, "I supposed you were shadowing me."

There was a silence during which he and I stared at each other, while the family gaped first at one, then at the other of us.

"All I have to say to you, young man," said Mr. Turnlee, "is that you caused me the fright of my life. I expected every minute that you were about to turn me over to the police. Can it possibly be that you are not a German spy?"

"Such I supposed you to be. I never dreamed that you were an American and the father of the loveliest girl in the world."

By this I broke in upon the antagonism Mr. Turnlee and I felt for each other; Lillian pushed me toward her father; he put out his hand, and we began a hasty dialogue on the incidents of our mutual mistake. I am happy to say that I soon secured his good will and his approval as a son-in-law.

We all mailed together for America, and Lillian and I are now man and wife.

Swimming With a Cold.

In an address before the leading ear, nose and throat specialists of the country Dr. Hill Hastings of Los Angeles recently called attention to the danger of a person's swimming, and particularly diving, when he has a cold in the head. Comparatively few persons realize that it is dangerous, and many even believe that when they have recovered from a cold and are still annoyed by excessive thick secretions in the nose they can find relief by diving or plunging the head under water. The purulent matter washed out is not only a danger to others, says Dr. Hastings, but the diver himself runs a risk of forcing some of the pus into his middle ear. Most specialists have observed that cases of mastoid abscess are common every summer during the swimming season. At the large ear, nose and throat hospitals it is recognized that the swimming season invariably brings on "a crop of mastoids." The advice to keep out of the water until a "head cold" is entirely cleared up cannot be too strongly emphasized.

Imagination.

The gift of imagination appears to be the peculiar privilege of man. The architecture of the beaver is clever and ingenious, but the work of one beaver differs only from that of his fellow in the shape and nature of the wood at their respective command. The cells of a honeycomb, beautiful and mathematically correct as they are, differ in no particular from those in every other bee's construction. Every village boy knows that one thrush's nest is repeated character for character in that of another. With you it is different; each one of you can put something of himself into his work, and unless he does so he becomes a mere copyist, an echo and not a sound, a purveyor of "white robed innocence" and "flower bespangled meads."—Samuel Johnson.

How War Comes.

The precedents of history show that the great majority of the world's conflicts have been begun before formal declarations of war were made. According to authorities on international law, a condition of war arises in three ways:

First.—Declaration of war.

Second.—A proclamation or manifesto declaring that a state of war exists.

Third.—Through the commission of hostile acts of force.

One authority on international law, describing ways in which hostilities may begin without formal declaration, says, "Acts of force by way of reprisals or during a pacific blockade or during an intervention might be forcibly resisted. * * * hostilities breaking out in this way."—New York World.

Vast Russia.

"It is difficult without a map to give the reader any idea of how far away northeast Siberia is," says an English magazine. "The European railway system travels slowly beyond the Ural mountains into that great frozen plain which embraces nearly the whole of northern Asia and ends at the Pacific ocean. Russia in Europe is vast, but the area of her Asiatic dominions exceeds that of the whole of Europe by more than a million square miles, though this enormous tract of country contains fewer inhabitants than half the population of London."

Giant Spider Crab.

The giant Japanese spider crab is the ugliest looking shellfish in the world. Its body measures about one foot across, and the claws have a "spread" now and then of over twelve feet. These spider crabs inhabit the Japan sea and often live 2,000 feet below the surface of the waves.

Bobby's Reason.

"Why did you spell 'bank' with a capital, Bobby?"

"'Cause pa says a bank ought always to have a good big capital."—Boston Transcript.

Yes, Indeed.

Blobbs—The average wife tells her husband everything she hears. Slobbs—And a lot she doesn't—Philadelphia Record.

PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT.

Catarrhal Jaundice.

The most common form of jaundice is that known as catarrhal jaundice because it is caused by an inflammation of the mucous membrane of the bile ducts. That affection is usually the result of some indiscretion of diet or of exposure to inclement weather. Sometimes the symptoms are very slight. The patient merely feels a little out of sorts or bilious; he loses his appetite, his tongue is furred, there is perhaps a little nausea, and his bowels are sluggish. He hardly regards himself as sick and is quite surprised to be told that he has grown yellow. The yellow color affects the whites of the eyes as well as the skin, and sometimes it is almost entirely confined to the eyes.

The treatment of this form of jaundice is simple. A light diet, a blue pill or a dose of salts and rest in bed for a day or two will usually suffice. If the symptoms persist consult a physician, for they may be the first indication of some grave liver trouble. Indeed, it is safer to consult a physician at once and let him take charge of the case from the very start.

Hopeless Case.

Mabel—I am sure he must have loved her very dearly. Maude—I should say so. He married her in spite of the fact that he had been out in the rain with her all one afternoon, was seasick with her and saw her unexpectedly at home the morning after a dance.—London Opinion.

Business Courtesy.

Little Willie—Say, pa, what is business courtesy? Pa—There are two kinds of business courtesy, my son. One is the kind extended to people who pay cash, and the other is extended to people who don't.—London Answers.

She Takes the Rings.

Tom—I know a girl who accepts rings from men she doesn't know. Bessie—I don't believe it! How could she? Tom—Why, she can't help it—she's a telephone girl!

Her Strong Chin.

Dawson—The facial features plainly indicate character and disposition. In selecting your wife were you governed by her chin? Spenlow—No, but I have been ever since we were married.

It is easy to decide without thinking; it is easy to think and not decide, but it is hard to think fairly and decide courageously.

Doesn't Know How.

Albert, aged three and a half, had failed to respond to verbal reprimand and at last his mother said: "If you don't behave you will have to be spanked. You would not like that, would you?"

"I wouldn't like daddy to spank me," was the quick response.

"Why not?"

"He doesn't know how. He hurts."—Life.

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Fire believed to have ben of incendiary origin last Monday night destroyed the stave mill of A. C. Givler located near Mt. Victory Church, together with a quantity of finished staves and prepared lumber.

For baby's croup, Willie's daily cuts and bruises, mamma's sore throat, Grandma's lameness.—Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil—the household remedy. 25c. and 50c.
Advertisement.

Recently the President and Council of Mt. St. Mary's College formally offered its entire equipment to the President for such uses as the Government might deem serviceable and expedient during the war. Official acknowledgment by the President of this offer has been received by the college authorities, but up to the present time there has been no indication of what plans the Government may have in the matter.

For a mild, easy action of the bowels, try Doan's Regulets, a modern laxative, 25c at all stores.
Advertisement.

The Littlestown High School will hold their commencement exercises in St. Aloysius Hall, June 15. The baccalaureate sermon will be preached by Rev. Wm. Fleck, in St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Sunday, June 10.

For any itching skin trouble, piles, eczema, salt rheum, hives, itch, scald head, herpes, scabies, Doan's Ointment is highly recommended. 50c. a box at all stores.
Advertisement.

Seventy-five Western Maryland Railway engineers and conductors of Hagerstown, have been drafted for service in France to man trains. All are unmarried and without dependents.

Stomach Troubles.

Many remarkable cures of stomach troubles have been effected by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. One man who had spent over two thousand dollars for medicine and treatment was cured by a few boxes of these tablets. Price 25 cents. Samples free at The People's Drug Store.
Advertisement.

Miss Lydia Rebert of Littlestown will graduate from Hood College, Frederick, the commencement exercises being on June 13.

Sore Nipples.

Any mother who has had experience with this distressing ailment will be pleased to know that a cure may be effected by applying Chamberlain's Salve as soon as the child is done nursing. Wipe it off with a soft cloth before allowing the babe to nurse. Many trained nurses use this salve with best results. For sale by The People's Drug Store.
Advertisement.

The waybill has been received for the two 4-inch cannon and forty 12 pound shells, secured some time ago for Camp 60, S. of V., of New Oxford, through the efforts of Hon. C. Wm. Beales during his term in Congress. The shipment was made on May 7, and they are expected in New Oxford this week. The cannon are to be placed on Park Square, one pointing East and the other West on Lincoln way. They will be placed with appropriate ceremonies at some later date. Mr. Beales not only secured the cannon, but will bear all expenses of transportation, as well as that which will occur to have them placed in position.

Heavy, impure blood makes a muddy, pimply complexion, headaches, nusea, indigestion. Thin blood makes you weak, pale and sickly. For pure blood, sound digestion, use Burdock Blood Bitters. $1.00 at all stores.
Advertisement

Frank L. Weaver of New Oxford, has purchased from his father, John S. Weaver, agent for the heirs of Leo J. Staub, the building and other fixtures of the Staub brick yards at Berlin Junction and is having the same dismantled.

Sprains and Strains Relieved.

Sloan's Liniment quickly takes the pain out of strains, sprains, bruises and all muscle soreness. A clean, clear liquid easily applied, it quickly penetrates without rubbing. Sloan's Liniment does not stain the skin or clog the pores like mussy plasters or ointments. For chronic rheumatic aches and pains, neuralgia, gout and lumbago have this well-known remedy handy. For the pains of grippe and following strenuous work, it gives quick relief. At all druggists. 25c.
Advertisement

Miss Marguerite Emmert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gil P. Emmert of York Springs, has been re-elected instructor of English and drawing in the Mt. Union, Pa., schools.

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine. Circulars free. All Druggists, 75c.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Advertisement.

Mrs. C. W. Baker has been confined to bed at her home at the Lutheran parsonage, New Oxford, for several days the past week, suffering from an infected foot. Mrs. Baker pricked a small pimple which became infected through the wearing of a new stocking, the infection being caused by the dyes used in the stocking.

To the Public.

"I have been using Chamberlain's Tablets for indigestion for the past six months, and it affords me pleasure to say I have never used a remedy that did me so much good."—Mrs. C. E. Riley, Illion, N. Y. Chamberlain's Tablets are obtainable everywhere.
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Some one tried to make a forcible entry into G. M. Freed's cigar factory at the rear door about midnight Saturday. Harvey Myers, who lives next door heard the noise and saw the intruder at whom he fired several shots from a revolver, but the man made his escape.

Stomach Troubles and Constipation.

"I will cheerfully say that Chamberlain's Tablets are the most satisfactory remedy for stomach troubles and constipation that I have sold in thirty-four years' drug store service," writes S. H. Murphy, druggist, Wellsburg, N. Y. Obtainable everywhere.
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Farmers have appealed through district committees to the York County Committee of Public Safety for 1,000 experienced men for volunteer farm labor. That number will be needed to handle increased agricultural production.

Forethought.

People are learning that a little forethought often saves them a big expense. Here is an instance: E. W. Archer, Caldwell, Ohio, writes: "I do not believe that our family has been without Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy since we commenced keeping house years ago. When we go on an extended visit we take it with us." Obtainable everywhere.
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Eighteen dollars and seventy-five cents in automobile fines were collected in Emmitsburg last Wednesday night.

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Heal Skin Eruptions.

Painful eczema is more active in spring when the blood is over-heated, the burning itching torture is unbearable, relieve it at once and heal the eruptions with Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. This antiseptic remedy is promptly effective in all skin troubles. Pimples, blackheads, acne, tetter, ring worm, scaly blotchy skin, all respond to Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. Get it to-day at your druggists, 50c. guaranteed.
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The members of the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, New Oxford, presented their pastor, Rev. Fr. Mark E. Stock, with a golden chalice, in appreciation of his work while stationed in that parish. Fr. Stock has been pastor of this church for about a year and a half.

Have you used Dr. Fahrney's Teething Syrup? It is the whole thing. Babies like it. Cures all stomach troubles.
Advertisement.

It is estimated that the war tax on the Hagerstown Fair will amount to $5,000. This would wipe out all the profits and the management does not know what to do about it. One move may be to cut out all free tickets to directors, stockholders, etc.

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Wellington Brown of near Littlestown, a former resident of Gettysburg, who had several ribs broken and suffered other injuries when run down by an automobile in Hanover three weeks ago, is improving rapidly and expects to return to work next week.

If you fear hot weather and bad bowels, Dr. Fahrney's Teething Syrup is your friend and the baby's comfort.
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Following the closing of the bridge in Mount Holly on the principal route between Harrisburg, Carlisle and Gettysburg because the town lacks funds for proper repair, a movement has been begun to have the Highway Department take charge. The stream at the point has now to be forded by all those using the road.

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Dr. Nathan C. Schaeffer was reappointed by Governor Brumbaugh as Superintendent of Public Instruction for a term of four years from April 1. Dr. Schaeffer has held the office of superintendent since 1903.

Clear Your Skin in Spring.

Spring house cleaning means cleaning inside and outside. Dull pimply skin is an aftermath of winter inactivity. Flush your intestines with a mild laxative and clean out the accumulated wastes, easy to take, they do not gripe. Dr. King's New Life Pills will clear your complexion and brighten your eye. Try Dr. King's New Life Pills to night and throw off the sluggish winter shell. At druggists, 25c.
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Ralph E. Frame of New Oxford has joined the Naval Hospital Corps at Philadelphia, as a pharmacist. He had been a student at Temple College before enlisting.



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Russell Smith, son of Mrs. George W. Smith, York, a native of New Oxford, a member of the U. S. Marine Corps, stationed at some point in the West Indies, sustained a broken arm and a number of painful cuts and bruises while taking an aeroplane flight with four companions. The machine failed to work properly and in the fall one of the men was instantly killed and the others more or less injured.

All the good qualities of Ely's Cream Balm, solid, are found in Liquid Cream Balm, which is intended for use in atomizers. That it is a wonderful remedy for Nasal Catarrh is proved by an ever-increasing mass of testimony. It does not dry out or rasp the tender air-passages. It allays the inflammation and goes straight to the root of the disease. Obstinate old cases have yielded in a few weeks. All druggists 75c., including spraying tube, or mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren St., New York.
Advertisement.

Mrs. George W. Thomas, of Hanover, sustained bruises and cuts about the head and body when struck by an automobile while picking flowers near Spring Grove. Mrs. Thomas became confused when the machine approached and crossed the road directly in front of it. The car was owned and driven by J. N. Hersh of New Oxford, who was exhonorated from all blame of the accident.

Bowel Complaints in India.

In a lecture at one of the Des Moines, Iowa, churches a missionary from India told of going into the interior of India, where he was taken sick, that he had a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy with him and believed that it saved his life. This remedy is used successfully in India both as a preventive and cure for cholera. You may know from this that it can be depended upon for the milder forms of bowel complaint that occur in this country. Obtainable everywhere.
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